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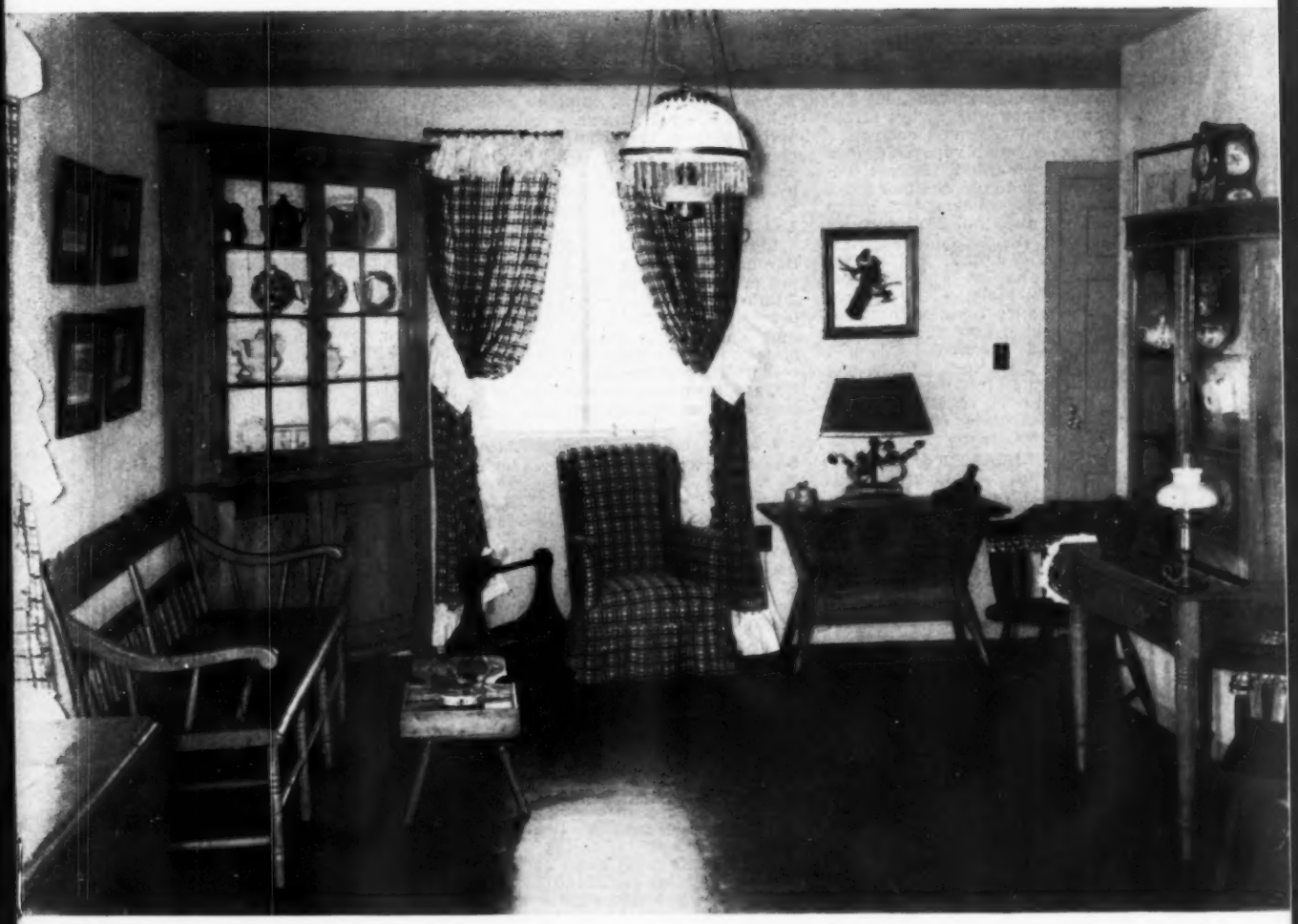

Living Room in Pioneer Cottage — Story Page 12

THE WHAT NOT SHOP

1404 Sixth Avenue — Des Moines 14, Iowa

Pink overlay basket, ruffled edge, 8½x11", hobnail effect in festoon, vaseline twisted handle $37.50. 10 x 10½" bowl to match $22.50 — 2 beautiful pieces.

9" Cranberry Crackle glass bowl ruffled edge in resilvered frame, 4 feet, a beauty $20.

Chinese Rose Medallion teapot in original wicker container, $12.50. Square blue and white Canton plate 8", $3. Square Bluebird dish, open edge $4.

6 white ironstone handleless cups, saucers, Richard Alcock, nice condition, lot $21.

HAVILAND CHINA

8 soups with gold band, lot $12. 2 baking dishes with sprays of red roses, marked "France", each $4. 1 matching covered vegetable dish and platter marked "France Depose" roses and gold, the pair $5.50. 3 coffee cups & saucers, dark green festoon around top, Holly leaves and berries in festoon below, 4 extra saucers and 2, 8½" plates to match, the lot $12. Limoges Haviland Ch. Field, all over large pink and white roses with small bell shape blue flowers, raised design in china: 7 cups & saucers, 8, 9½" plates, 2 platters, 1 large, one small, 1 chop plate, 1 covered vegetable dish, 1 open vegetable dish, 1 pickle dish, 1 gravy boat on tray, all perfect, $65.

BAVARIAN

6, 10" plates, Seld Bavaria, Krauthiam with platter to match, lot $7.50. 23, 9¾" white plates, 1 large platter, 3 small platters, 3, 8" plates, creamer, 8 bouillon cups & saucers, 1 cup & saucer, nice thin china for painting, Ransom pattern, lot $60.

Plain white Meakin butter dish, round, sugar bowl to match, pair $5. 3 floral bread plates, open handles, each $2. 2 covered floral vegetable dishes, pair $5.

TEA LEAF LUSTRE

4, 9¾" plates, Wedgwood, perfect condition, each $1.50. 13½" oblong platter, Wedgwood, $3. 2, 6½" Meakin plates, each $1; 13" platter to match $3.

10 Crystal Almond Thumbprint wines, each $2. Egyptian bread plate $6; pickle dish $3.

CAKE STANDS

Clear Ribbon $6; Clear Hand $9; Sprig $6; Fuchsia $6; Teardrop, $7.50. Bull's Eye and Diamond Point banana dish $10. Flaring fruit bowl on swirled standard, Rosette with ruby top, etched $12.50. **OTHER RUBY, Write.**

Bull's Eye and Spearhead honey dish $9. Beaded Grape butter dish $8; celery $5; 8" bowl $5. 1000 Eye canary mug $3.50. Punch cup with pale cranberry rim, green leaves $2.

Paperweight with dog's head $7.50. Miniature blue lamp with raised design on base $3. 2 celluloid hinged glove boxes with clasps, one marked "Gloves" on lid, other a parlor scene, each $2.

Owl salt shaker, metal top is owl's head $3.

TOOTHPICK HOLDERS

Frog holding lily, Sandwich glass, chip on rim $3. Vaseline Daisy & Button hat $3. Saddle $3.

4 butter pats, brown birds, lot $2.50. 2 copper umbrella stands burnished and lacquered, each $11. 2 trivets $2. Small maple spice cabinet, 6 small drawers, 1 large across bottom, metal name plates, china pulls, a beauty $9.50. 6 nice walnut and gilt picture frames of average size, lot $5.50. 3 medium size china doll heads, each $2.50; 1 small head $1.50.

Staffordshire cat $2.50. Small Staffordshire rabbit $2. 2 Dresden nut cups, flowers in relief, each $3. 2 Rain and Dewdrop wines each $2; 2 cordials each $2.50. 2, 7¼" Shell and Tassel fruit bowls on high standards, each $9.50. 1 milk glass owl with American Eagle on lid $6. Copper lustre mug with Sunderland luster design through center, a nice one $17.50.

5 small Bisque and Staffordshire figures, our choice, a buy, each $2.50. Dresden shaving mug, pink and gold, flowers in relief $3.50. 4 nice German steins, no lids, lot $7.50. Small school bell $2.

2, 3 footed opalescent ruffled top bowls, not matching, pair $5.50. 6, 8" 8-sided plates in dark blue, sailing vessels, buildings in distance, marked "Ferrara" Wedgwood, each $3.

A LIMITED NUMBER OF IOWA CENTENNIAL HALF DOLLARS, MINT CONDITION, each $5.

Clear glass commemorative bread plate, Garfield, Washington, Lincoln $8. Tulip celery $4.

Brass plaque in wooden frame 11x15", engraved "East or West, Home is Best", aged couple sitting by fireside, dated 1902, beautiful engraving $12.50.

Tree of Life with hand covered compote, 6", Lee Vict. 11, $10.

Fireplace poker, tongs and shovel, old engraved brass handles, lot $7.

Wine decanter, cut Thumbprints around base and neck $5. 2 small brass picture frames, one with velvet inset, nice condition, the pair $4. Sterling spectacle case $1.50. Sterling holder for small tumbler $1. Iron bank, a house dated 1882, $3; a 13-story building bank $3. 2 oval walnut frames not matching, pair $8. Cut glass cologne bottle honeycomb type $3.50. Heavily cut cruets, each $5. 14" bronze type bust of Dorothea, petrfect condition $10. Miniature upright spinning wheel, mechanically perfect $3.50. Small Seth Thomas banjo clock with eagle, 18" overall, original floral decorations, perfect running condition, a little dandy $25. Small Swedish trunk 13x24" iron handles and straps, brought to this country in 1862, history with trunk $15.

DEMI-TASSES

1, 4-footed ribbed, roses and daisies, gold $6. 2 Dresden type, ribbed, pale green lustre and yellow luster flowers in relief, each $6. 1 swirled type, gold lined $7.50. 4 choice at $4 each; 2 nice ones at $3 each.

2 miniature caster bottle sets, each holding 3 bottles, metal frame, pair $5.

SALT & PEPPER SHAKERS

Pair Wheat and Barley $7. Pair silver in silver holder with handles $2.50. 1 single End of Day type $1. Pair pewter with handles, beehive bases $2.50.

Small creamer and sugar, etched design, metal bases, unusual $5. 2 Rayo lamps complete with white shades and chimneys, each $7.50. Old brass hand iron with iron insert for heating wt. about 8 lbs., a real primitive $22.50. China potato masher, wooden handle, really an old one $6. 2 tin comb and brush holders with mirrors, pair $4. Flat copper dipper with handle $2. Miniature milk glass lamp with chimney, painted flowers $5.

FANS

Large black feather on satin, gold, silver and black figures on handle part, perfect condition $6. 1 red ostrich plume, ivory frame $5.1 ivory type with painted flowers and birds $2. 3 paper and cloth in good condition, lot $3.

Large clear fruit bowl on high standard, hobnail $10.

PEWTER

Double warming dish with handles $2.50. 3-footed dish with handle $2.50. Teapot, 5 cup size $4. 2 saucer type candle sticks $2. 1 small tray $1.25. Tree platter on 4 feet with well $3.50.

OLD SILVER

Creamer, sugar, spoon holder on 4 feet, nice engraving, ornate handles, set $15. Creamer, sugar and spoon holder, flat, beaded rims, nice engraving $10.—both sets will clean up nicely. Large silver water pitcher $5. Cake basket with handle, resilvered $8.

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THE SPINNING WHEEL CALENDAR
of
Antiques Shows, Major Antiques Auctions, Gallery Sales

Sept. 12-15—*Cincinnati, Ohio. Music Hall Auditorium. Antiques show and sale. Sam Yeagley, Mgr.
Sept. 13-14—Waverly, Penna. Community House. Antiques Show. D. E. Seeley, Mgr.
Sept. 14-17—*Santa Ana, Calif. Ebell Club Bldg. Antiques Show. Thelma Shull, Mgr.
Sept. 16-19—Indianapolis, Ind. Spink Arms Hotel. Antiques Show. Grace Wonning, Mgr.
Sept. 17-19—Mt. Vernon, Ill. Armory. Seventh Annual Antiques & Hobby Show. American Legion Auxiliary. Mrs. Conrad Schul, Mgr.
Sept. 18-21—*Davenport, Iowa. Masonic Temple. Quad-Cities Antique & Hobby Shows. Harold J. Meyer, Mgr.
Sept. 20-23—*Buffalo, New York. Auditorium. Antiques Show. D. S. Clarke, Mgr.
Sept. 21-23—*Pikesville, Maryland. St. Mark's-on-the-Hill. Annual Antiques Show.
Sept. 21-25—New Haven, Conn. Arena. Tenth Anniversary Antiques Exhibition and Sale. Milton Cottler, Mgr.
Sept. 22-24—*Towson, Md. Antiques Show Temporarily Postponed.
Sept. 22-24—*Baltimore, Maryland. Gymnasium. Antiques Show. Mt. St. Agnes Alumnae Association.
Sept. 22-25—*Ephrata, Penna. 120 Cherry Street. Antiques Show. Jacob M. Borry, Mgr.
Sept. 23-24—Ridgewood, New Jersey. Christ Church. Antiques Show. Mrs. Gilbert E. Barthold, Mgr.
Sept. 23-25—*Elmira, New York. Armory. Antiques Show and Sale. Antique Dealers Association. Harold Van Auken, Mgr.
Sept. 23-26—Cincinnati, Ohio. Gibson Hotel. Antiques Show. Grace Wonning, Mgr.
Sept. 28-29—Mt. Lebanon, Pittsburgh, Penna. Antiques show and sale. Woman's Club. Mrs. Ford C. Mohney.
Sept. 28-30—Allentown, Penna. Hotel Traylor. Fourth Lehigh Valley Antiques Show and Sale. Mrs. Gilbert E. Barthold, Mgr.
Sept. 28-30—Baltimore, Maryland. Church of the Ascension & Prince of Peace. Antiques Show. Mrs. J. R. Bradberry, Mgr.
Sept. 28-Oct. 1—*San Antonio, Texas. City Auditorium. Antiques Show. Mrs. L. M. Teague, Mgr.
Oct. 2-5—Detroit, Michigan. Masonic Temple. Great Lakes Antiques Show. Wm. L. Kendall, Mgr.
Oct. 3-8—New York, New York. Waldorf-Astoria. Antiques Show. Mrs. John Freeman Brown, Mgr.
Oct. 4-6 — *Rochester, New York. Sheraton Hotel. Antiques Show. Genesee County Antiques Dealers Association.
Oct. 4-7—*Lancaster, Penna. Moose Temple. Antiques Show. Mabel I. Renner, Mgr.
Oct. 4-7—*Hanover, Penna. American Legion Auditorium. Fall Antiques Show. Kenneth Leister, Mgr.
Oct. 5-7—Cortland, New York. First Presbyterian Church. Second Annual Antiques Show. Women's Organization.
Oct. 5-8—*Alexandria, Virginia. Armory. Antiques Show. Alexander & Doughty, Mgrs.
Oct. 11-14—Norristown, Penna. City Hall. Antiques Show. Dora E. Seeley, Mgr.
Oct. 11-15—Philadelphia, Penna. Hotel Bellevue-Stratford. Antiques Show. C. J. & C. B. Nuttall, Mgrs.
Oct. 15-18—Kansas City, Mo. Municipal Auditorium. Eight Annual Antiques Show. Antiques Dealer's Association.
Oct. 18-21—Greensboro, N. C. Ball Room Masonic Temple. Antiques show. Mrs. J. C. Russell, Mgr.
Oct. 18-22—New York, New York. Regiment Armory. Antiques Show. C. J. & C. B. Nuttall, Mgrs.
Oct. 19-21—Dickeyville, Maryland. Fall Antiques Show.
Oct. 19-21—Syracuse, New York. Parish House. Antiques Show and Sale. Mrs. Albert Tardy, Chairman.
Oct. 19-22—*Bethlehem, Penna. Masonic Temple. Third Annual Antiques Show. General Alumnae Association of the Moravian Seminary & College for Women.
Oct. 22-25—St. Paul, Minnesota. Leamington Hotel. Antiques Show. E. V. Nobel, Mgr.
Oct. 23-26—*Houston, Texas. City Auditorium. Antiques Show. Mrs. L. M. Teague, Mgr.
Oct. 25-27 — Portland, Maine. Eastland Hotel. Fall Antiques Show. Maine Antique Dealer's Association Inc. Charles O. Ford, Mgr.
Oct. 25-28—Pasadena, Calif. Civic Auditorium. Antiques Show. Thelma Shull, Mgr.
Oct. 25-29—Hartford, Conn. Bond Hotel. Antiques Show. Mrs. John Freeman Brown, Mgr.
Oct. 26-28—Annapolis, Md. Parish House. Antiques Show. Betty A. Clark, Mgr.
Oct. 26-29—Silver Spring, Maryland. Armory. Antiques Show. Jeanette R. Traten, Mgr.
Oct. 26-29—*Kensington, Md. Armory. Antiques Sale. W. H. Forrest, Mgr.
Oct. 29-31—*Wichita Falls, Texas. Kemp Hotel. Antiques Show. Mrs. L. M. Teague, Mgr.
Oct. 29-31—Madison, Wisconsin. Park Hotel. Antiques Show. E. V. Noble, Mgr.
Nov. 2-4—Longview, Texas. Harris-Cadillac-Olds Bldg. Antiques Show. Mrs. Syril Parker, Chairman.
Nov. 5-6—New Kensington, Penna. American Legion Home. Antiques Show and Sale. Junior Women's Club. Mrs. Richard Wodehouse, Jr., Chairman.
Nov. 8-11—*Jersey City, New Jersey. Woman's Club House. Antiques Show. Mrs. George W. Nigh, Chairman.
Nov. 8-11—*Wilmette, Ill. Eighth annual Antiques Show and Sale. Women's Club of Wilmette. Helen W. Morrison, Mgr.
Nov. 8-13—Hartford, Conn. Fort Guard Hall. Antiques Show. Leslie S. Lockwood, Mgr.
Nov. 9-11—*Vancouver, Washington. St. Lukes' Parish Hall. Antiques Show. Women's Council. Catherine Archer, Mgr.
Nov. 9-11—Union, New Jersey. Presbyterian Church Parish House. Antiques Show. Mrs. C. W. Frances, General Chairman.
Nov. 15-20—White Plains, New York. County Center. Antiques Show. C. J. & C. B. Nuttall, Mgrs.
Nov. 22-25—Greenville, South Carolina. Armory. Antiques Show. Mrs. J. C. Russell, Mgr.
Nov. 27-28—Short Hills, New Jersey. Country Day School. Antiques Show. Mrs. G. H. Robinson, Mgr.
Nov. 27, Dec. 1—Cleveland, Ohio. Public Auditorium. Antiques Show. D. S. Clarke, Mgr.
Dec. 1-5—*Dallas, Texas. Foods Bldg. Antiques Show. Mrs. LaVere Tremblay, Mgr.
Dec. 3-5—Youngstown, Ohio. VFW Auditorium. Antiques Show and Sale. Morris & Ruth Hammell, Directors.
Dec. 6-9—*Hershey, Penna. Community Bldg. Antiques Show. Mabel I. Renner, Mgr.
Jan. 16-21—Washington, D. C. Hotel Statler. Antiques Show. Mrs. John Freeman Brown, Mgr.
Jan. 22-25—*El Paso, Texas. Womans Club. Antiques Show. Mrs. L. M. Teague, Mgr.
Jan. 28-31—*Phoenix, Arizona. Shrine Temple. Antiques Show. Mrs. L. M. Teague, Mgr.
Mar. 10-14—*Fort Worth, Texas. Pioneer Palace. Antiques Show. Mrs. L. M. Teague, Mgr.
Mar. 25-29—*Mobile, Alabama. Semmes Hotel. Antiques Show. Mrs. L. M. Teague, Mgr.

* Denotes that a more detailed description of the show listed is featured elsewhere in "The Spinning Wheel".

The above listings are free and we urgently request all show managers, auctioneers, and galleries to forward to us detailed information regarding their shows or sales for the next four months. The listings will be given each month and will include events four months in advance. Send us your information today—there is no cost or obligation.

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★ **EL PASO** ★ ***January 22-25***
★ ***Womans Club***

★ **PHOENIX, ARIZ.** ★ ***January 28-31***
★ ***Shrine Temple***

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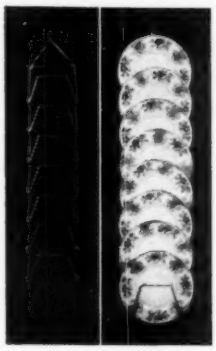

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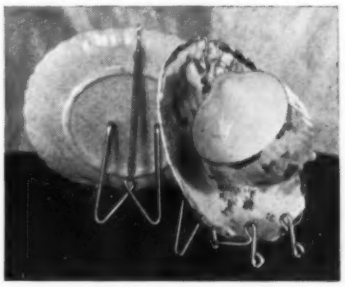

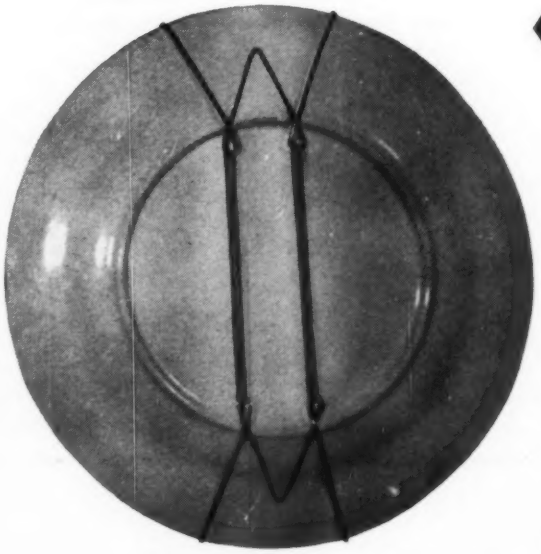

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Miscellaneous China: **1. Double dish,** bright yellow roses and gold, excellent quality china $18. **2. Shaving mug** in shape of slipper!! Dainty flower decoration, about 6" long, lovely china $10. **3. Shaving mug** in shape of sleigh!! About 6" long $10. **4. Milk Glass sugar shaker,** delicate pink b-g with colorful pansy decoration, original metal top, beauty, $7.50. **5. Cosmos Milk Glass covered butter dish** (small underside flake) $18. **6. Pink slipper,** cute turned up toe, cunning shape, dainty flowers encircled in gold, high gloss, 6" long, $5. **7. Large fruit or nut bowl,** green roses on white b-g, "Royal Bonn", dia. top 10", $7.50. **8. Round covered cheese dish,** colorful asters on cream b-g, "Bonn", dia. base 6¾", $6.50. **9. Gaudy Dutch plate "King's Rose",** solid border, shows some wear, 8", $45. **10. Set 6 Haviland butter pats,** tiny pink roses, gold edge, each $1.

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Flint Glass Goblets. From Left: Ashburton, Ribbed Palm, Inverted Fern.

Collecting Pattern Glass

by Ruth Webb Lee

IT has been called to my attention that collectors of the most popular of all early American lines of glass are being advised to beware of pattern glass because there are so many reproductions on the market—as though the same thing could not be said of all antiques. There is not a day that I do not receive from six to twenty letters asking whether it is safe to collect this or that particular pattern because the writers have been assured that reproductions are sold as old in shops, as well as through the mail. Collectors report that dealers who have stocks of blown glass or furniture often tell inquirers that they will not handle pressed glass because it is all being faked. And when the same customers go to a dealer who happens to specialize on pattern glass, they may hear that anything which is not in stock in the shop is absent because it is being reproduced and, of course, he does not handle undesirable pieces. Collectors too often are frightened out of completing sets because of such false rumors. It is about time lovers of early American glass should know the facts, for their own peace of mind as well as for the good of the trade. It is, therefore, the purpose of THE SPINNING WHEEL and myself to give you a series of twelve articles offering adive and suggestions on what to collect, and at the same time expose many of the latest reproductions.

This month we have illustrated three early goblets selected at random from among many fine pressed glass patterns in which a table setting may be acquired. Reading from left to right, these are Ashburton, Ribbed Palm, and Inverted Fern.

To those who are unfamiliar with Ashburton, it is probably the first design in pressed glass which was carried into a complete line of tableware. The original trade name for it was Ashburton. Most later patterns went by factory line numbers. Records exist proving Ashburton was shipped to California during the gold rush in 1849 so it is safe to call this a pattern of the 1840's. There was not the demand for constant change in those days of the horse and buggy, so designs that proved popular were carried on over a long period of years. Old time trade catalogues list it as still being sold thirty years later, which is probably an endurance record for any line of tableware. Practically every glass factory producing pressed glass made Ashburton, which has resulted in a number of slight variations as well as differences in quality. I have seen egg cups bereft of any ring to the glass, though nothing has been reproduced in this design so far. The perpetrators of the frauds seldom venture in patterns which were made only in lead-flint glass.

It is a curious commentary on the vagaries of fashion that an early pattern such as Ashburton should sell for so much less today than designs of the 1870's, 1880's and even the 1890's because of lack of popular demand. Collectors can still buy Ashburton at reasonable prices. Goblets may be found in shops priced at anywhere from $3.50 to $5.00. EARLY

The author, Mrs. Lee, needs no introduction to the old collector. For the new collector, it is important to know at this point, that Mrs. Lee's texts will become as valuable to you as is Webster's Dictionary to the general public. As one of the better known authorities on Early American & Victorian glass, her findings have led many a collector in the right direction of safe, sound, and enjoyable collecting. This series of 12 articles is intended to enable anyone to start collecting, however meager their past experience or knowledge may be.

AMERICAN PRESSED GLASS lists some forty-eight different items in tableware to be found in this pattern. Rarities would consist of any pieces in colors or items such as the covered toddy jar or large flip glass. Creamers and water pitchers are difficult to find perfect, minus the check in the base of the handle.

Ribbed Palm, the middle goblet illustrated, makes a fine showing in a table setting. Produced in the 1850's by both McKee Bros. of Pittsburgh and also by the Boston & Sandwich Glass Company, it is a heavy lead-flint glass. One factory made the leaf on the goblet with the heavy veins convex and the other concave. Collectors should note this difference in matching them. In the earlier patterns, made prior to the Civil War, plates will not be found larger than the six inch size. There are many attractive larger plates in later designs that will be found to combine nicely. Some collectors prefer old Staffordshire, which are effective in color.

Values of Ribbed Palm have stayed within reason, goblets selling at from $5.00 to $7.50. Rarities are always expensive. In this design they would consist of the champagnes, wine glasses, and whiskey tumblers. The water pitcher is fairly difficult to find perfect and so it commands a good price. No pieces in this pattern have ever been reported in color. The earliest patterns were always in clear glass, a colored piece being an exception rather than the rule.

Ashburton and Ribbed Palm are heavy, sturdy patterns, often favorites with men. Inverted Fern, illustrated at the right end of the line, gives an appearance of daintiness because of the finer ribbing and smaller leaf. It is lighter in weight though it is brilliant in quality.

The goblets and egg cups were made with both a clear and a rayed base, which collectors should note in matching these pieces. Those items I have seen with clear bases are of a noticeably clear white, while those with rayed bases have been less brilliant. Inverted Fern was made at Sandwich but with the exception of variants of the design, it is not known which other factories may have produced it. Most of the earlier patterns were made by more than one company, plagiarism being avoided then as today, by minor differences in the design, such as the plain base or rayed base.

Not quite so many forms were made in Inverted Fern but there are an ample number of pieces for a most satisfactory table setting. Goblets may be had at anywhere from $5.00 to $7.50. Water pitchers are extremely rare, the last one I saw being priced at $50.00. Wines and champagnes are high-priced and six inch plates are practically non-existent today. For those who are content with a smaller table set, comprising such pieces as goblets, compotes, egg cups, sauce dishes, sugar bowl, creamer, butter dish, and spoonholder (the last named attractive in pairs for flowers) no difficulty should be encountered in collecting a set of this glass.

Nothing has been reproduced in any of the patterns listed. Next month we shall consider three attractive designs of the 1870's which are not in popular demand and therefore are lower in price.

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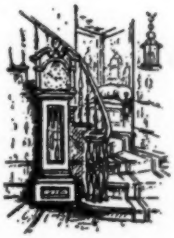

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ELIZABETH STRONG

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Frosted Hobnail with amber top: 9 tumblers, 1 water pitcher, and 1 square berry bowl—Write.

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Minerva water pitcher $12.50.

Cranberry night bottle on six clear applied feet with tumble up, gorgeous and unusual, $25.

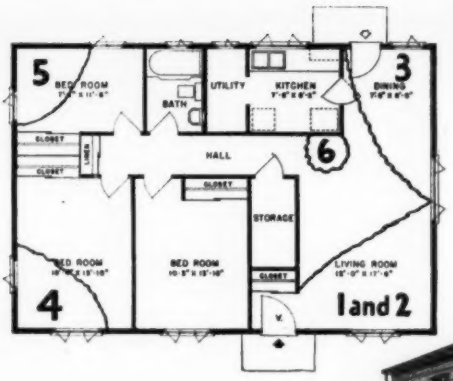
Hand jam jar with cover, Lee, E.A. Pressed Glass, $7.50.

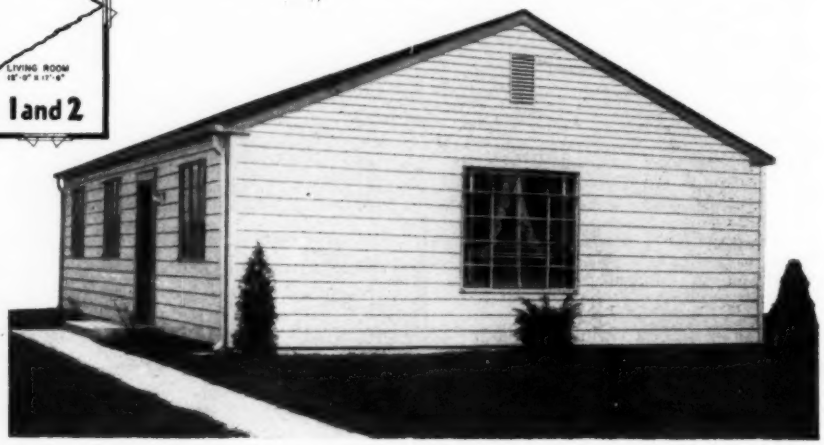
Railroad train platter, Lee E.A. Pressed Glass, pl. 110, $12.50.

Mulberry plates, Corean, 1, 7" $2; 3, 7¾" $2.25 ea.; 1, 8½" $2.75. Vincennes, 1, 9¼" $2.75.

Pioneer Cottage - 1948

Decorated and furnished throughout by Myrtle Helfrich of Sunnyfield's Antiques — to prove that antiques can be had on a moderate income.





Exterior view and entrance of Pioneer Cottage, at right. The floor plan is shown above. Numerals on floor plan indicate position of furniture groupings shown in accompanying photos.

The living room pictured on the cover, and in the sectional close-up, below. *(Nos. 1 & 2 on floor plan)* is decorated in softwoods, pine, poplar, etc. *From left to right, in cover photo:* Spindle back bench, deep seat with decorated panel across back, from $35. Grouping of 4 pictures over bench with black glass matting and black & gold Hogarth frames. Subjects are 4 large U. S. cities, hand colored engravings, $13.50 each. Unusually large pine corner cupboard in 2 pieces, from $75. Dark pine finish carpenters box (beside not too old wing chair) containing deep bin for books with small box on carrying rung for cigarettes, flowers, etc., $20. Small cobbler's bench with leather seat, originally made for cobblers little son on which to learn the trade, $65. *In photo below:* Large all pine doughtray with splay legs and solid piece top, $60 (ample storage room inside). Lamp on doughtray made from early tailor's iron and mounted on old pine base—ivy leaves entwined on handle, electrified with large green monks cloth shade—$15. Pine secretary with four shelves, one pull-out drawer to form desk, with adjustable writing panel inside—type piece that could be used in any other room in house, from $75. Flanking secretary are a pair of very early captain's chairs finished in antique black with cushions and ruffles to match brown, green, red & white plaid broadcloth curtains, $25 each. Hanging lamp in center of room has decorated milk glass shade with clear pressed glass font, completely electrified, $30. Bird prints by Anthony La Paglia, hanging on either side of secretary in narrow antique gold frames, blend with room coloring. Braided scatter rugs (not shown) complete room furnishings.

An enterprising antiques dealer, fired with the ambition to allay the stagnant reasonings of the general public "that antiques are estate furnishings, only for the wealthy" — plus a new housing development near Baltimore, Maryland enable us to bring you "Pioneer Cottage".

Picture this housing project for yourself—gleaming little circles and semi-circles of white cottages, floor-planned as are thousands throughout the nation today—practically built, to meet the ever increasing demand of housing for salaried Mr. and Mrs. America — four rooms and bath, stereotyped, necessarily, for economical and rapid construction. It could be your future home, resting now, in some sister development, but the distinguishing feature of Pioneer Cottage lies in the charm of its interior furnishings.

It all began when "Harundel" community was completed. Quite naturally there was one cottage furnished in the modern manner to inspire prospective buyers. Myrtle Helfrich, a Baltimorean, outstanding and long-standing antiques enthusiast, was satisfied that a neighboring cottage could be furnished with antiques as economically and comfortably and with much more character. So, with the owner's permission and boundless energy, she completely furnished and decorated her alloted cottage (even to the point of hand making the hangings and accessories) and called it "Pioneer". Not one of the niceties of pleasant living was omitted, and warmth in color and practicability marked its every furniture grouping. Prospective buyers were amazed at the outcome, particularly those among them who had thought longingly of antiques, but thought them beyond

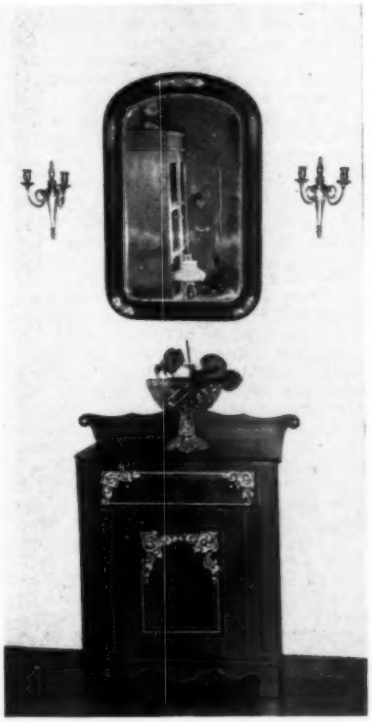
their reach. The result—Pioneer was furnished less expensively than its neighboring modern, and its popularity during display week was far overshadowing.

On these pages we are presenting a few of the appealing groupings in Pioneer. It is the first example with which we are familiar in wh'ch a real estate display house was completely furnished with antiques. It is hoped that with Pioneer, a precedent will be established. Pioneer has proven that the young married couples of the nation are avid for assuring information that the spirit of early Americana can be captured in their small budget homes, that furnishing with antiques can be less expensive and more unique, and best of all, that antiques have an ever present resale value which offers them an investment combined with a fascinating hobby.

The individual item costs listed under accompanying photos are from the lowest (in the rough) to the maximum (refinished). The accessories shown are optional and naturally a few of the pieces shown exceed the average "Pioneer" owner's budget; however, the reader should take into consideration that there is an equally nice antique substitute for each optional piece—and at a still lower price.

***Number 4 on floor plan*—corner of Master Bedroom showing, at window, unique desk—dressing table, made from a very old 4-drawer Clark's O.N.T. spool cabinet and country store desk combined. Writing panel, and inside desk lined with very special pink leather with mirror placed on under side. Made of oak and finished in pine the top has place for pens, ink, and dresser bottles. Priced at $75. Shown on desk is small white ironstone shell-shaped inkwell with container for ink and sand, $5; small sparking lamp, electrified with 6" custom made silk shade with eyelet embroidery trim and pink ribbon at $12.50. Beside desk is mending bowl on 3 legs at $18 and small early Windsor lady's rocker painted black at $25. Under second window, a maple Jenny Lind bedside table with 1 drawer at $30. The room curtains and bedspread match in an all over pink and white apple and green leaf design on white background, the spread being piped in rose with a very full skirt. Not shown is the pine sleigh bed complete with springs and mattress at $125, and the New England pine three drawer chest with fruit carved walnut pulls at $15.**

***Number 6 on floor plan.* Black decorated wash stand with one panel door and drawer, restored with original gold leaf decoration, and perfect for radio cabinet, from $30. On wash stand, a Block open compote filled with philadendron, $9 and above, long mirror with oval top and matching black and gold decorations, $15.**



***Number 5 on floor plan*—corner of nursery, decorated for easy conversion to a den or study. Hangings of candy stripe green and white chintz. *From left to right:* pine solid end commode at $30 with child's leather trunk and electrified oil lamp in pressed glass on top. Old, yellow rocking horse trimmed in red and black at $25 and Penna. Dutch child's cupboard decorated with red hearts and tree of life on ivory at $25. Shown in corner cupboard is collection of old iron toys.**

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Pioneer Cottage — 1948

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Dining Room—Number 3 on floor plan. From left to right: Early pine & walnut dry sink with original lead lining $50. Lamp on sink made from all metal coffee grinder painted red and black and mounted on natural pine base, parts easily removable to utilize coffee grinder. Shade of red monks cloth. Note decorative pieces either side lamp. Next, very early solid end Penna. sideboard in beautiful honey-colored pine with railing across back and original porcelain knobs on drawers and doors, $65. Very large all pine dining table with tapered legs and drawer in end—seats 12, can be found from $75—this one $225. On table, and slightly expensive for Pioneer cottage is pair standing angle lamps, each with early diamond swirl glass shade, one in ruby, other in amber, very rare, $75 pair. Seating is afforded by set of 6 Penna. plank seat chairs, half spindle backs, matching long bench at cost of $75 set. The dining table, was set during display time with set of brown and white ironstone for 4, complete $35.

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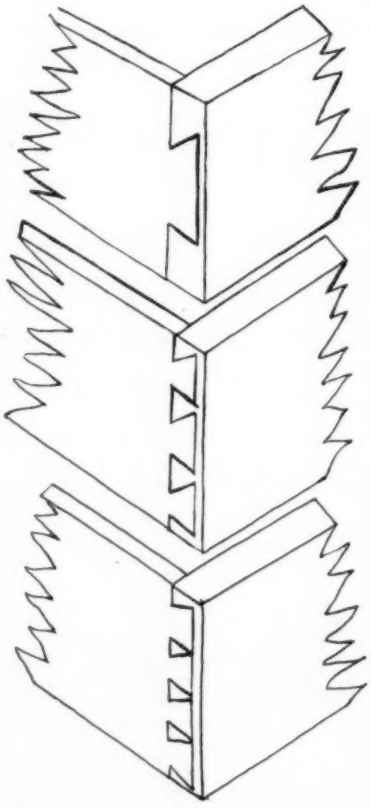
Part III

Saw Marks, Nails & Screws

WHEN a person decides to purchase a new refrigerator, he doesn't walk into a show-room, glance at the gleaming white exterior of the product, and write a check. He looks inside at the construction. He tests the doors for fit. He questions the salesman about durability, and other things, and is careful in making his selection.

In the same way the collector should approach the purchase of the antiques he buys. What about the construction? Is the piece old, or a reproduction? Does it show legitimate marks of age? What about the drawer construction? Are the sides rabbited and nailed to the front with hand-forged nails? Or are they of the later type, with the wide dovetailing? Or still later, with the narrow? Is the color of the wood uniform, or have there been many replacements? And what about the marks of the saw? The collector should ask himself these questions if he desires the piece to be genuine. Some repair work may be necessary to make the piece usable, but these restorations should never change the line or style of the original.



Early types dovetailing, top, Broad dovetail circa 1700; center, narrowing type circa 1725; bottom, narrow type circa 1840.

Frequently the less obvious points will be the determining factor in judging the old from the new. The kerfs, or marks of the saw teeth on lumber, offer a reliable check when examining a piece for age. These can be found on the backs of chests, the under sides of drawers, under sides of table tops, and other places that were not finished. These kerfs found on lumber sawed before 1850, will be almost straight up and down. The earliest saws were operated by two men, one standing in a pit below the log and the other on a platform above. This was known as the pit-saw system, and dates back hundreds of years. The two operators, or sawyers, worked with a long narrow saw, wielding it back and forth between them. It was a slow and arduous method. An example of the saw pit can be seen in the Pioneer Village which has been reproduced at Salem, Massachusetts.

In the period between 1600 and 1650, the water-powered saw-mill came into existence, and within the next twenty years many such mills were built and operated along the New England streams. This still was the up and-down type and was used until the circular saw replaced it around 1850. Circular saws were used experimentally as early as 1814, but were not in common use till the later date. However, in some remote sections, the up-and-down method may have been in use long after the adaptation of the circular saw. Consequently it cannot be said that all furniture bearing up and down kerfs, is old, but any piece with circular kerfs probably does not pre-date 1815.

Wooden pins usually are associated with antiques, but much of the early furniture, particularly the finer pieces, were put together with hand-forged nails or screws. Because the wooden pegs were made by hand they appeared in a variety of shapes — oval, square, octagonal, but **never perfectly round.** These pins were made of hard wood, such as maple or oak. When used on furniture of softer woods— pine, tulipwood, etc. — the peg withstood the wear better than the furniture, and usually is found protruding above the surface of the piece. Reproduced wood pins are almost always **perfectly round,** and are **flush** with the surface.

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4. Embossed by hand, all copper tankard, either Belgian or Russian, graceful and nice for long stemmed flowers, $15.

5. Cute, hanging, all pine shelf, tall pine back, and sort of horse blinder sides, $12.

6. All copper coffee urn, solid brass mountings, handles, etc., with tiny ivory band on brass handle of spout, polished & burnished $75.

7. 3 Old English original hunt prints, black cardboard mats, and narrow Hogarth frames, "The Leap", "Unpleasant", "The Scramble", $12 each.

8. Complete set Chelsea Sprig, teapot, creamer, sugar, 8 tea size plates, 8 handless cups/saucers, 2 octagonal cake plates (all pieces octagonal except cups) set $100.

9. Early Bennington hound handle pitcher with eagle, boar, and other subjects, some rim roughness, $9.

10. Small octagonal early Bennington pitcher, few rim nicks, $4.

11. Bennington Rebecca at the well teapot, medium large size, small age crack at base but holds liquid perfectly, $6.50.

12. Set of 6 eggshell thin dessert plates with white centers, edge decorated all over yellow apple with green leaves, Royal Saxony Dresden, set $30.

13. Set, covered sugar, creamer, and spooner in pressed glass Cameo pattern, each $5.

14. Beautiful antique quilt, white background with intricate red and green calico chain pattern, excellent original condition, $25.

15. Bedside table, cherry top and drawer, curly maple apron and exquisitely turned legs, made only with pegs and very old, beautifully refinished, $50.

16. Walnut bedside table, graceful turned splay legs, no drawer, $32.

17. High chest in walnut, original brasses, bracket feet, circa 1770, exquisitely refinished, $450.

18. Early Italian copper plaque attributed to Chinelli originally, mounted in round wooden frame painted old black, subject, "The angel of wrath descending upon Adam and Eve in the Garden of Eden", $30.

19. Large kelly green pressed glass lamp, waterfall base and bowl of all over raised floral design, imprinted "le fleur", beautiful nylon net white tailored custom made shade, $35.

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ROAMING THE SHAVING MUG WORLD

with W. Porter Ware

READERS of this column will recall that we paged Frederic W. Roedel, collector of shaving mugs of old New Yorkers, through the use of this space. A friend of Mr. Roedel read The Spinning Wheel and flagged down our man in Utica, New York. It seems that the letters after his name stand for "New York State Retail Jewelers Association" of which Mr. Roedel was President at that time. I have not found out much about him yet but apparently he has retired in Utica surrounded by his shaving mugs.

You may have been asked at one time or another, "How should a shaving mug collector display his pieces?" First, I would say that there is no such thing as a successful mug collector operating without his family's tolerance if not wholehearted approval. For example, a man's wife could make plenty of trouble if she decided it would be a good thing for them both to collect old dolls or buttons. As a beginning, she would freeze him out of the shelves and cupboards where he kept his mugs in kitchen, back room, or spare room upstairs. Then, she might put the financial squeeze on him by asking the dread question all collectors fear from their wives, i.e., "How much did you pay for that old ————?" To elaborate further, I met a man in Nashville in one of those antiques auction places. I was tippy-toeing around the room trying not to break up more than three dollars worth of pressed glass when I nearly bumped into him. After a few words of exchange, he said, "I don't know what to do about my wife. She won't let me keep the stuff around the house. How do you get around yours?" I replied, "Brother, there ain't a direct solution to that one. If I could tell you I would be raking in money as a psychiatric adviser or something like that". But this meeting stuck in my mind and I am still wondering what this poor man is trying to buy now and sneak up by the back stairs. Conclusion: the best way to display your shaving mugs, or mechanical banks, or early autos, is to sell your wife on the idea first.

Those of you who think the collectors have cornered all the fine shaving mugs should take on new hope. My prediction, based on careful thought, is that there will be a chance of locating fine occupationals for years to come. It is true that you will find few, if any, through old time barbers because they have long since thrown out, given away, or sold the good mugs once in their possession. Others, they turned back to the families of deceased owners. These old mugs will turn up occasionally though, here and there in many parts of the country—but mostly in the East. I

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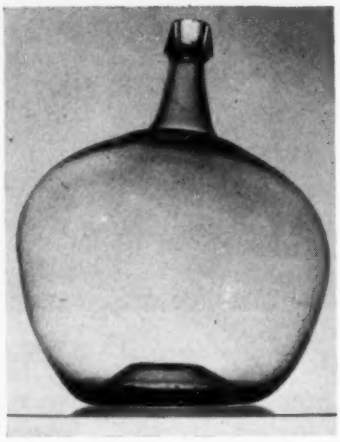

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Around the House With Antiques

Hobbies and Collections

by Lillian Robertson

RECENTLY I read an article on hobbies and collecting which provoked me exceedingly. The trend of it was that people—young or old—who had "time to kill" should collect or take up some hobby so that they wouldn't be bored and time would go faster for them. Instead of giving a boost to hobbying and collecting, the author stressed the fact that there were twenty-four hours in the day to be lived through somehow, —and that is what got my nanny.

Time is too short — twenty-four hours isn't long enough to do everything one wants to do. Of course, the young fry wish they could add on a few years so that they could play in the baseball game at the clam bake with Ma and Pa, — Ma and Pa wish to heaven they were a little bit younger and hadn't played in the baseball game, — (married boys against married girls with the progeny hooting and rooting) — which is entirely beside the point — us girls lost anyway, — no chivalry.

Hobbies make for character and education and shouldn't be considered a waste of time. No matter what hobby you take up, you are always learning something and passing it on to others — either in a boring way or otherwise, but you are still progressing; and if you don't go forward, you go backward—there is no in between.

The ambitious and go getters were the ones who built our nation and I doubt if they had too much time to kill. To my way of thinking, the only ones who really have a legitimate excuse to be idle are the sick. Hobbies tax your brain and ingenuity, besides giving personal pleasure to the individuals and their interested friends in all walks of life.

There is a wide scope in this field. Many people like to collect eccentric things — fads; then there are the collectors who go in for the tried and true buttons, guns, glass, dolls, paperweights, etc.

We have a gentleman in our town who is known as "Cowboy Sheehan". He has a wealth of pursuits. The main one is appropriating other people's property unbeknownst to them, especially when in his cups; telling tall and interesting tales of his experiences when away from home (here to the Klink); the Klink, where he makes it a profession to arrive in the summertime when the lawn has to be mowed, in the wintertime when snow is on the ground — he is allergic to both hay and snow—and on holidays —the meals are of the best come Thanksgiving and Christmas. When

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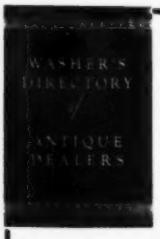

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There are several ways to collect. Each has its good and bad points. One way—if you are just beginning—make up your mind what you want to specialize in—maybe glass. Then decide whether goblets, plates; pressed or cut glass—but make up your mind before you start buying. The church fairs and bazaars have "white elephant" tables where you can find all sorts of things. The second-hand stores, such as the Salvation Army have many treasures. Of course, if you are a novice you have to take your chances on whether or not the article is old or reproduced. Only the authentic antiques dealers, who know their antiques will tell you what's what; their reputation depends on their honesty, and most of them are glad to give a helping hand (I've even heard tell that if a flustered young lady comes in the shop to start her collection, but doesn't know what to get, the dealer will give her a little talk, help her along, and maybe a small present to boot).

Another way to start is advertise in a newspaper or antiques magazine, but that may not be as much fun for the novice as going around to the different shops. The experienced collectors know just what they want, so they can tell by the ads in the magazines whether the article is suitable for them or not.

When I first started collecting Toby jugs, I bought all and sundry—(when I had enough cash), then gradually weeded out the "junky" ones, kept the best. Those I sold paid for a couple of really good ones and in the meantime I had a chance to study the qualities and defects which made me a little more learned before my next round of the shops.

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Most everyone has some outlet which relaxes them and no matter what it is, even if they are tone deaf and take piano lessons at fifty, they have an interest in life and give an incentive to others. Enthusiasm is like a disease—it spreads; and now is the time to start collecting should you have "time to kill",—you will find it very worthwhile.

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Ralph Waldo Emerson would like knowing his friends have "Named all the birds without a gun; loved the wood-rose and left it on its' stalk"!

In the traditional manner of the West . . . rodeos, fairs, and live-stock shows are featured in October. The round-up is over on the big cattle ranches in the Northwest. The last of the strays have been roped and branded . . no longer do the chuck-wagons with their six-mule teams, roll across the thousands of acres of range land. The herds . . . and the cow-hands are in winter quarters. On the big 'spreads' like the ZX ranch in Central Oregon . . . things are mighty quiet now, Pardner!

Ancient Taurine history again proves the adage . . "There is nothing new under the sun." Now, as in Biblical days, very often worldly riches are given in terms of herds and flocks. 'Pecunia', the Roman word for money was taken from the word 'pecus' meaning cattle.

Even the branding iron of our Western ranges . . dates far back into ancient history. In the old Roman writings these couplets are evident:

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Part V

"Pepperboxes" and "Bootleg" Pistols

CONTINUING the discussion of antique firearms which the collector of moderate means can acquire without endangering his financial solvency, I wish to introduce the reader to a duet of colorful and interesting weapons known as "pepperboxes" and "bootleg" pistols.

Briefly, the so-called pepperbox is a multi-shot pistol with an elongated cylinder minus a barrel of the conventional type, and, usually, a flat bar hammer. The best known is the Allen line, fabricated by Ethan Allen of Massachusetts, who patented the bar type hammer, and who, in partnership with his brothers-in-law, Thurber and Wheelock, turned out huge quantities of these arms. The largest number of pepperboxes was turned out in the "roaring forties" when gold was discovered in California and weapons were in great demand. Because they were double action and five or six shots could be fired in rapid succession, they were very popular among those gentry who preyed upon their fellows as well as those who stayed on the right side of the law. However, as a matter of fact, pepperboxes were effective only at very short range as the double action, lack of barrel as well as clumsiness mitigated against any degree of accuracy at longer ranges. The more common specimens should be purchased at from $10 to $15.

One of the more rare and interesting of the pepperbox family is the Robbins & Lawrence made in Windsor, Vt. This is equipped with a ring trigger to rotate the cylinder with a curved trigger directly in front of the ring trigger to fire the piece. The Robbins & Lawrence has nice lines and is neatly engraved. A good specimen sells for around $25. Among the American rarities in the pepperbox field are the Darling and the Pecare & Smith, an average specimen of the former selling for around $50 and the latter, $65.

The so-called "bootleg" pistol is just what its name implies, an arm that could be carried in the tops of the high boots worn during the period in which these pistols were made. The typical bootleg pistol had a part round, part octagon barrel, usually rifled, and of .31 to .36 caliber, six inches or more in length, no trigger guard and an under hammer, the latter features to enable the owner to be "quick on the draw." The only wood about the arm was the grip which, oddly enough, considering that this type of pistol was largely made in New England, was sometimes made of that old Pennsylvania gunsmith's standby, curly maple. Sometimes the grips tapered to a point at the end. Accuracy of these arms was much superior to the pepperbox since they were single action and no hard pull on the trigger was required as in the case of the pepperbox. Among the makers of this type of pistol were: Ethan Allen, Andrus & Osborn, B. M. Bosworth, Willard & Co., Gibbs Tiffany & Co., H. J. Hale, Wm. Neal, Nathan Rider & Co., A. Ruggles, Tryon (Phila.) and L. B. White. Most of the above were located in the New England section, as were the makers of the pepperboxes, proof that Yankee ingenuity was put to good use in the realm of firearms as well as other fields. The price of bootleg pistols varies, but most good specimens should be bought at from $12 to $18 at present high prices. Incidentally, I forgot to mention that the pepperbox family runs into the cartridge period, including the Sharps, the Sharps & Hankins, and the Rupertus.

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The STEREOPTICAN

OF particular interest is this excerpt from a recent letter — "I am not a subscriber to your magazine but one of the family who uses it. Here is my gripe and it is a good one about the dealers who are removing "Made in Japan" from items with acid. On August 11 I bought 12 cups and saucers, sold to me as "bone china". When I got them home, I saw very plainly with a magnifying glass, "Made in Japan". It is not the first time this has happened. **I did not** buy these through "THE SPINNING WHEEL" but I thought others might benefit by my broadcasting this sly trick." So, we are passing it along to our readers for what it is worth—and a garland of roses to the lady in Rhode Island who wrote us about it.

"THE SPINNING WHEEL" is rather proud of its advertisers. During 1948 only a very few have become difficult with whom to deal. These few have been denied further use of the magazine as part of our continuous effort to keep it free of anything or anybody who might pollute its columns. When a well founded complaint has arisen, both parties involved have been treated fairly and experienced reconciliation or justice through the actions we have taken. It is not always easy to act as mediator, and it has been with regret that certain advertisers have been barred, but, to uphold reader confidence has meant far more to us than the possible advertising revenue from a few disreputables.

The seller and advertiser is by no means always in the wrong and the mail order buyer must learn to assume some responsibility concerning proper business methods before laying full blame on the person from whom he has ordered. The following incident, in our estimation, was grossly misinterpreted by the purchaser. He ordered a sizeable lot of merchandise of miscellaneous nature through a "SPINNING WHEEL" ad. Between the time the advertiser submitted his copy to us, and the time the magazine was in the mails, one or two of the listed items has been either chipped or broken. The dealer, upon receipt of the order, made generous substitutes, and shipped the order with a letter to that effect, which also stated that if the customer was not completely satisfied he should return the goods, carrying charges collect, and full refund would be made. The purchaser replied that he was not at all satisfied, but would like to keep the goods provided he were allowed a "nice" discount on them. Because in the meantime, the dealer had had several orders and checks for the same lot, he requested the purchaser to return the whole lot immediately and he would refund his money. For some unknown reason the purchaser became incensed over this unexpected turn of events and in turn replied that the dealer obviously was engaged in shady dealings, the merchandise was not as advertised, and he would keep the correspondence and merchandise and turn it all over to the postal authorities as a case of mail fraud.

In our opinion, when an advertiser is willing to pay express both ways, and make full refund to a dissatisfied buyer, the buyer has absolutely no kick coming. Anyone that has had any experience at all with any types of mail order buying, will know that it is not uncommon for substitutes to be made, and that they are ordinarily of a greater value than the ordered item. They will also know that substituting is not mail fraud when they can return an unwanted item for full refund. To us, mail fraud is a serious offense, and if the publisher observes any advertiser's actions apparently leading in this direction, for the benefit of all concerned, "THE SPINNING WHEEL" would be the first to wish action taken by postal authorities. When this happens though, an advertiser is no longer being allowed to use the magazine, and for the benefit of prospective mail order buyers, it can be repeated, that anyone can buy from any advertiser in these columns and feel confident that their orders will be handled courteously and promptly — and primarily that the merchandise will be as represented. It is wise for the buyer to be familiar with descriptive passages, etc., before ordering.

There must be a little bad in every world trade, so how could one expect to live actively without being affected by it at one time or another. How much better it would be for all concerned, if one would only look for the good in fellow man, and assumed, until they were forced to believe differently, that it is not the majority's objective to mistreat, or abuse, but purely the minority's. How much more joyous life would be for all of us if the too many "jumpers at conclusions" were adjusted to wise and deliberate forethought. Face yourself for a change. Could you not be wrong instead of the wronged? It's possible more times than not, so remember, wrong or wronged, it is the wise who can cope with it diplomatically.

And the thought for the month: **"It is with narrow-souled people as with narrow-necked bottles; the less they have in it, the more noise they make in pouring it out."**
—Pope.

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1. **Beautiful Cobalt blue china clock,** pink wild roses decoration, much gold trim, porcelain face, perfect, striking running order, 11x13", $40.

2. **Pastel yellow,** pink wild roses, porcelain face, running, measures 9x11½" tall, $32.50.

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4. **Large Haviland pancake perforated covered dish,** pink roses, blue forget-me-nots, green foliage trim, gold bow-not handle, beautiful $7.75.

5. **Amber Daisy & Button** hats (2), $4 each; Blue, $4.

6. **Tall onyx stem banquet lamp,** perforated font, burnished with lovely old white globe with pink and yellow carnations, electrified, $28.

7. **Satin Glass** quilted mother-of-pearl pitcher, bulbous reeded handle, 7½" tall, tiny blister, $18.50.

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Historical china, glass and china cup plates, soft paste, lacy salts. Write wants. **Virginia A. Wood, 4 Hillside Rd., Baltimore 10, Maryland.** dc

Pomona pitcher and 2 tumblers, unusual, enamelled panels. Loop & Fan 6" compote. Snuff boxes, please write. **Mrs. John F. Calsen, 2326 16th Avenue, Moline, Ill.** oc

Amber Wildflower water pitcher, $8. Spanish Coin spooner, clear, $2.50. Pink Satin decorative rose bowl, circ. 17", $9. Red Block tumbler, $4. Sandwich glass footed salt, $4.50. Liberty Bell covered butter, $4.50. Canton Rose Medallion teapot, $7.50. Buckle & Star sugar and creamer, $4.50. Ribbed Ivy compote diameter 8", height 5", $9. Diamond Sunburst covered compote 8", $4.50. **Claire Huntingdon, 273 Warren Ave., Kenmore 17, New York.** oc

The Little House, Box 125, Conroe, Texas. Old tin coal hod, black with original painting, white flowers, bronze leaves, rack at back, tongs, $32.50. 2 chocolate cups and saucers, Limoges France, white with dainty green and gold decoration, each $2.75. Cup and saucer, Forget-me-not, small coffee size, $3. 4 hand painted Jap cups and saucers, $10. Large mustache cup and saucer, pansies, $6.50. 4 Chinese plates, 8½" each, $3.75; 6 salad plates, delicate pink, lavender and blue violets, set $12.50. Pressed glass, list for stamp. oc

Small nodding Bisque Mandarin, $22.50. Miniature covered sugar and creamer, $2.50. 4 thin tea cups and saucers, pink border and floral decoration, $2.25 each; 6 plates to match them, 7½" diameter, $1.25 each. Black Milk glass 8½" square "S" plate, $6. Cream colored chocolate pot with all-over gold floral decoration and odd handle, $6.50. Large cup and saucer green with roses, $3. Pink and white End-of day frosted syrup jar, pewter lid, $8. **George Welch, 517 Columbus Avenue, Sandusky, Ohio.** oc

Royal Minton, 23 piece tea set, pattern Summertime, all-over design flowers, tiny nick on creamer, otherwise perfect, set, $32. Small china clock, runs, $11.50. Blue Daisy & Button slipper, dated, $4. Large Paul Revere lantern, $5. Buckle open sugar, $1.50. Emerald green Clover Leaf Daisy & Button bowl, $5.50. Pretty bone dishes, floral, 75¢ each. Write wants. **Olive and Fred Frank, Burdett, New York, Rt. 227, 3 mi. N.E. Watkins Glen.** oc

Pair blue Overlay vases, $21.50. Cobalt glass bell, $7.25. Noritake tea set, $10.75. 6 oyster plates, $9. Refinished string holder, $4.75. 6 cups and saucers, few defects, $8.75. China Owl sugar shaker, $4.50. 4 Esther sauces, $6. 5 square amethyst sauces, $12.50. 6 Bavarian Bird plates, $16.50. Bavarian fish plates, $14.75. Peacock Feather lamp, $5.50. Iron base Bristol stem lamp, $10.25. Iron base china stem lamp, $10.25, Sapphire glass lamp, $12.75. Hand stem lamp, $13.50. Wood cigar mold, $5. 66 pieces Ashworth's Chinese; 25 pieces Wood's Wincanton; Set Stag handle knives and forks. **At The Sign of the Teakettle, 206 W. 8th, Hutchinson, Kansas.** oc

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65 pieces Haviland Limoges, Morning Glory pattern. For details write **Mrs. R. W. Blackmore, 332 N. Maple Avenue, East Orange, New Jersey.** oc

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Lion butter dish (full lion), $22. Miniature (complete) lamp custard glass, $25. Yellow Mother-of-Pearl tumbler, $12.50. Large amber threaded glass pitcher, lovely, $18. Stamp please. **Brown's Antique Shop, 1111 N. Gilbert Street, Danville, Illinois.** oc

5 wash bowl and pitcher sets, 2 to 7 pieces to set, $3.50 up. Tureens, 8½ x 6, Gold Tea Leaf, $5. Haviland Limoges pink roses soup, no ladle, 8⅜" diameter, $8. Cake stands: Panelled Thistle, $4; Wildflower, $8. Butter pats and salt dips, sets and singles, $ .25 up. 22 Drug store bottles, some with labels, some blown, $24. Fire tongs, $1.50 up. Dough box, good rough, $5. **Marion Bailey, 711 Broadway, Milton, Penna.** oc

Creamers: Baltimore Pear, $8; Wheat & Barley, $4.50; Good Luck, $4; Broken Column, $6; Crystaline, $3; Classic Medallion, $4; Horseshoe Stem, $3. Wines: Tulip and King's Crown, $2 each. Goblets: Deer & Pine Tree, $7 each. Small creamers: 3" Cut Log, $2.50; 4" Brickwork, $2.50; Lotus, $2.50; 3" King's Crown, $3.50; same, ruby top, $5; 3" Opalescent Hob, $5; 4" Ribbed Forget-me-not, $4. Covered sugars: Sprig, $8; Ashburton variant, $4.25. Three-face 7 x 6" covered compote, old and proof, $22.50. **M. Schlayer, 614 N. Sixteenth, Harrisburg, Penna.** oc

60 pieces: English China; Delft blue on white, marked Lancaster over a crown, under that a double loop knot of rope, and mark. New Wharf pottery, England, pattern single flower, possibly rose. Daisy & Button, clear, odd pieces and matching sets. Three-Panel to fill out your collection. **F. T. Maddren, Wellsville, New York.** oc

Rosenthal egg cups, all white, small raised design on base, $15 dozen. Royal Worcester covered vegetable dishes, flower sprays different all sides, elephant head handles, turkey feet finials, $60 pair. Amethyst vase 8", gorgeous color, $8.50. Dresden chocolate cup and saucer, marked, exquisite, $20. 11 Royal Vienna bread and butter plates, green and rose borders, gold decorations, Kauffman centers, lot $100. Lacy edge Milk glass bowl, $15. Large Milk glass hen on nest, $15. Small Vallerystahl hen on nest, $7.50. Small lustre pitcher, sanded band, $10. **Cameo Antique Shop, 113 E. Franklin St., Richmond, Virginia.** oc

Pair Rose Medallion teapots, one cover expertly mended $15. Ruby Sandwich etched perfume bottle, $8. Red Block and half Block tall pitcher, $17.50. 4 lovely Red Block tumblers, $4.75 each. Dark amber mug, threaded, grape decoration, $5.50. Spanish Lace cruet, $9. Green Wedgwood Plaque, rose border, Longfellow, $5. Red Milk glass trinket box, 3¼ x 2¼, $2. hand painted Carlsbad cake plate, pink and gold edge, center figures and cherubs, signed, $7. Cranberry rose bowl, 4½", brass base and cover, $6. **Ruth L. Eaton, 117 Maple St., Malden 48, Mass.** oc

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54 piece dinner service, fine white china with gold encrusted band "Laurel" Tarsenreuth, Bavaria, $120. Set 6 Cobalt blue Sandwich glass goblets, beautiful and rare, $60. 2 Ruby Thumbprint goblets with etched leaves, $8.50 each. Red Satin glass miniature lamp, ball shade, $18. Square Satin glass cracker jar, hand painted flowers, raised design, silver lid and handle, perfect, $18; same, round with hand painted apple blossoms, needs resilvered, $14. Vases, singles and pairs, hand painted china, glass and Bristol, write for list. Cakestands: Moon & Star, $9; King's Crown, $8.50; Crystal Wedding, $8; Art, $5; Cottage or Dinner Bell, $4; large Shoshone, $3.50; small $2.25; square Finecut, $5; Sawtooth band, scalloped edge, $3.50; Feather, $3.50; Small Panelled Forget-me-not, $3; Pressed patterns, large, $2.50; small pressed or plain glass, each $1.50; miniature, $2.50. Miniature banana dish, $3. Selling collection of 200 pattern goblets, no lists, please write wants. No Reproductions. Stamp please with inquiries. **The Corner Cupboard, 537 Hickory St., Hollidaysburg, Penna.** oc

Compotes: Pair large Crystal Wedding, $17; Pair small Crystal Wedding, $15; Open Crystal Wedding, $7.50. Actress Glass, $14; Actress Glass, $12.50; Fisheye, $16.50; others $3.50 up. Camphor glass pitcher and 6 tumblers, $15. Clear pitcher, enameled flowers, 4 tumblers, $8.50. Green pitcher, Inverted Bull's Eye, enamelled flowers, $16.50. Blue pitcher Inverted Bull's Eye, $15. Caster set, resilvered, $19.50. Pewter set, lovely 5-piece, $55. Pair Fine Bristol vases, $35. Pair Opaque vases, $25. Pair Bisque Figures, 12" tall, $35. Pair Bisque Figure vases, $25. Other Bisque and Staffordshire, write. **The Treasure House, 1100 E. Morgan Ave., Evansville, Indiana.** oc

Old Blue Willow: 4 place setting, plates, soups, salad, cups and saucers, 1 meat, 1 bowl, 22 pieces, $20. Haviland Limoges tiny yellow roses: 6—9½" diameter plates, 6—8½" plates, 2 covered vegetables, 1 creamer, 5 cup plates, $25. Haviland Limoges 8—9" plates, 8 cups and saucers green foliage, white and orchid tiny flowers, $35. Beautiful chocolate set, pitcher and 6 cups and saucers, perfect, $15. Bavarian 12 cups and saucers with tiny Wild rose decoration, 8 perfect, 4 small chip, all $20. Tea Leaf lustre: 6 plates, 5 soups, 3 salads, 2 square sauces, 1 cup and saucer Meakin, all $20. Tea set, 26 piece Haviland & Co. Limoges Wedding Ring: 10-cup pot, sugar, creamer, 6 cups and saucers, 6 tea plates, covered butter, fruit bowl, $45. Everything perfect. Also lamps. **Rosella Striker, 914 Nuttman, Fort Wayne, Indiana.** oc

Pair Imported Ruby lusters, 13" high, beautiful, a bargain at $135. Amber basketweave water pitcher and tray, $22. Baltimore Pear: butter dish, $8; pickle dish, $3.50; plate, $9; compote, $10. 6 china plates, under water scene, $20. **Mrs. D. T. Walker, Mt. Airy, Maryland.** oc

Mary G. Hartnett, Main Street, Millville, Mass. 10" plates: Vaseline Grant Memorial, $7.50; amber Wildflower, $8; clear Willow Oak, $6.75; Sandwich Daisy, $6.50. Rose bowls in blue, yellow, pink, $7.75 each. 4 ring-stemmed Dew-Raindrop wines, each $2.50; 2 mugs, same, each $1.50. Express collect. Stamp please. oc

Pattern Goblets: Old Westward-Ho, no harm flake chip on base, $9.75; 2 Liberty Bell, 5 early Buckle, $3.75 each; 4 clear Block, like pl. 162, R. W. Lee, 4 Loop, $3.25 each. 2 Chain & Star, 8 Honeycomb, $1.25 each. **Anderson's, 4317 Main, Kansas City 2, Missouri.** oc

12 perfect clear Balder goblets, lot $10. Stereoscope and 50 views, $3. **P. C. Hillebrant, 147 Bartlett St., Rochester, New York.** oc

6 King's Crown sauce dishes, each $2.50; Large covered compote 3 small nicks on cover, $6. Baby Thumbprint with etching cakestand, $7.50. Lion Mask spooner. $3. Bull's Eye with Diamond Point banana stand, $18; 7 sauce dishes, each $3.50. 54 pieces Haviland tiny pink flower pattern, write. Large collection Copper Tea Leaf. **Mrs. John Payton, 826 N. Sixth Street, Burlington, Iowa.** oc

White Ironstone: soup tureen with ladle, $26, 6 platters, 6 x 4¼", each $1; covered oval vegetable "T. & R. Boote", $3.50. **Mrs. W. Bennett, 15 High Street, Auburn, Maine.** oc

Blue Milk glass goose salt, $7.50. Exquisite green blown water pitcher, enamel decoration, $4.50. 2 Dew with Raindrop sherberts, each $2. Pickles at $1.50: Panelled Thistle; Beaded Loop, rough spot; Feather, slightly rough. Drug bottles, name under glass, Thumbprint stoppers, ½ gallons or pints, each $1.25. **Catherine Merrill, Glencoe, Minnesota.** oc

Hanging lamps, 4, colorful shades, patterned fonts, $10 each. Clear Daisy & Button butter lid, round, 5¼", $3. Haviland tray, uneven edge, 10½ x 8½", pink roses, forget-me-nots, much gold, $4.50. Hall hanging lamp, cranberry swirl, brass fixtures, clear glass lamp inset, $15. Dresden vase, wired, 10" applied flowers, pink and blue, good condition, 20" overall with fixture, $28. Cut glass compote, 8 x 6", $6. Cranberry wine glass, $3. Items perfect unless otherwise stated. **Top O' Th' Hill Antiques, 142 Empire Blvd., Rochester 9, New York.** oc

Goblets: Dewdrop in Points; Cube & Block; Parachute; Grape Variant; Late Grape, each $2.75; other Variants my choice, $2. Sauces: Block & Fan; Late Grape; Heart with Thumbprint; 2 Dewdrop & Rain; 6 Stippled Cherry; Festoon, each $1.75. Sawtooth compote, $5. Fans: 1 black, 1 orchid Ostrich feather, both folding, each $2.25. Square white miniature bobeche, $2. Covered Cantonese rice bowl and saucer, $5. White Meakin Ironstone platter, 17", $4. Copper Tea Leaf creamer, $3.75. **Mrs. V. E. Keyes, Box 948, Del Rio, Texas.** oc

Cube pickle caster, tongs, replated, $10. Ivy-in-Snow celery, $6. Three Deer & Dog footed sauce dishes, each $4.75. Amber: Dahlia mug, $6; Basketweave cup, $2.50; Threaded hat, $5. Goblets: Keystone Grape, $3; Loop Dart round ornament, $3.75; Hamilton, $7; Owl & Possum; Clear Stork, each $8.50. 4" hand painted Limoges mug, pink, blue morning glories, gold trim, $6. 5" Staffordshire inkwell, Victorian lady on horseback, $8. 10" Clews Hudson River near Fishkill sepia plate, rim bruise, $12. Wanted to buy: Rosenthal Sans souci pattern dessert plates. Money-back guarantee. Express collect. Write wants. Stamp please. **Lois W. Spring, Herringbrook Farm, Scituate Centre, Mass.** oc

4 pink lustre cups and saucers, rail fence, Pine tree design. Elaborate German Stein, musician heads, White Ironstone Wheat pattern. Rosewood Melodeon, good playing condition. 50 pieces Beaded Loop. **Floy M. Rankin, Rt. 2, Box 258, Garland, Texas.** oc

Wedding Ring Haviland, white and gold: 12 cups and saucers; 9 sauces; 6—7" plates; 9—8½" plates, minor chips, the lot, $65. Haviland: pink rose soup tureen, round, no ladle, $12.50; 1 covered gravy on tray, chrysanthemum, $8.50. Goblets: 4 beautiful crystal with 2¼" top, deep ruby, etched in Valley Lillies, 2 ball cut stem, perfect, each $7.50. Pigeon blood covered sugar, creamer and spooner, heavy silver tops and covers, Bulbous ribbed, matching butter cover is glass, silver base, small piece silver on side missing, set $35. Alfred Meakin Moss Rose: 6 soup plates; 1 gravy and small tray; covered sugar; scalloped top spooner; decorations are lovely, all perfect, the lot $35. **Haughs Antiques, 2703 Hubbell Boulevard, Des Moines 17, Iowa.** oc

The Old Lamp Shop, Fairfield Road, Gettysburg, Pennsylvania, offers: Honeycomb covered compote, Frosted lion finial, $12. Rebecca-at-well teapot, $6. oc

5 Cupid & Venus footed sauce dishes, $2.50 each. Heavy cut glass bowl, 8" wide, 6½" deep, beautiful deep cut and scalloped top, $35. Proof. **Frances Martindale, Plainwell, Michigan.** oc

Covered butters: Panelled Daisy, $7.50; Jacob's Ladder, $7.50; square Panelled Thistle, $9; Wheat & Barley, $7; Rams head, $7; Jacob's Coat, $5.50; Fishscale, $5.50. Spooners: Stippled Star, $4.75; Stippled Dahlia, $5.50; Wheat & Barley, $4.50; Pressed Leaf, $3.50; Jacob's Ladder, $4; Bow-Tie, $2.50; English Nailhead, $5; Pigmy, $4.50. 7 Dew with Raindrop punch cups, $1.50 each. **Mrs. Horace H. Mitchell, 5 Balfour Circle, Lansdowne, Penna.** oc

Private party's collection: 68 pieces Ridgeway black story pattern china, write. **Christy, Lacey Rd., Downers Grove, Ill.** dc

Large stock of pretty plates, list free. **Guy Saulsbury, Spicer, Minnesota.** oc

Baby Thumbprint goblet, $3. Cheese dish, handpainted violet, slant top, Rudolstadt, $9. Pair Demi-tasse cups and saucers, each $3.50. Red Satin glass gone-with-the-wind lamp, electrified, $35. 2 Diagonal Band goblets, each $2.25. Covered oblong vegetable tureen, Indian Tree, $7.50. Mary Gregory clear pitcher, $12.50. 6 matching cups and saucers, beautiful flowers, $4 each. Colored Lord's Supper plate, $10. Write wants. **Grace M. Tospon, Harmon-on-Hudson, New York.** oc

Miniature pewter caster, complete, flake roughness, 2 bottles, $10. Figurines: lovely standing girl, flowers, vase, green and coral, number 1F7767, $6; standing Stork, $3.50. Miniature clear lamp, Fishscale, chimney, $6. Old fat monk creamer, tiny age line, back, $3. Perfume bottle, oblong, squatty, Frosted Satin like, handpainted flowers, $3. Tea Leaf lustre square teapot, $10; platter, $3.50; gravy boat, brown age lines, $3. 2 blue Daisy & Button footed kettles, each $5. Butter dish, Teardrop & Tassel, $6. Stippled Leaf & Grape relish, $3.50. Clear Egyptian bread platter, woman, $6. Egyptian relish dish, $3.50. 2 in 1 Calendar plates, 1911-12, each $3.50. Small chinese doll, native costume, $10. 6" low round opalescent Hobnail dish, $4.50. **Geo. M. Rau, Lincoln, Nebraska.** oc

Chelsea tea set, Grape pattern, gold lustre stems, 12 cups and saucers, teapot, sugar and creamer, beautiful, $75. Amber Daisy & Button Inverted Thumbprint cakestand, Lee 170, makes pretty flower vase, $19.50. 5 KT & K granite cups and saucers with gold bands, plates to match cups graceful with handles, $15. Platters: White Ironstone corn pattern, 18 x 12, $8.25; Allerton Blue Willow, 15 x 12¼, $12.50; Onion Meissen, 13 x 9¾, $8. Cake plate, onion, $5. Ironstone teapot, $7. Sauce dishes: 8 Panelled Daisy; 11 Leaf etched, footed, 70¢ each; 10 Banded Star, Lee 67, 90¢ each. Satin glass Rose bowls, pink with flowers, $15; yellow with violets, $10. No reproductions. **Nellie Elmendorf, 79 O'Neil Street, Kingston, New York.** oc

Wedgwood stamped pitcher, hound handle, steeple chase highly colored pattern. Oval frames, plaster, nice, pair $3.50. Brass, copper alcohol burner, perculator, $8.75. Nickel electrified perculator, new $10. Mulberry Corean plates, each $2.50. Large soup tureen, smaller platter, both $8. **Kelsey Homestead, R. R. 2, Northfield, Minnesota.** oc

Egg cups: 2 Sunburst, $4; Grape, $1.50; Excelsior, $4; Currant, $2; Ashburton, $4; Bellflower, $7.50; Grape Medallion, $4.50; Flute, $3. Waffle & Thumbprint compote, $7. Green Inverted Thumbprint cheese dish, $7. Amber Two-Panel spooner, $4. Come to the Buffalo Antiques Show Sept. 20-23. **Mildred C. Luss, Springville, New York.** oc

Milk glass: Owl jam jar, $15; hen, $8.50; large rooster, $12.50; hands, $10. Also amber hands, $10. Copper lustre creamer and sugar with raised flower band, $45. Lion creamer and sugar, $25. Tree of Life creamer with hands handle, $12.50. Collection Sandwich cup plates. Collection early sugar bowls. **Mrs. A. S. Horner, Route 1, Dunwoody, Georgia.** oc

Gold lined 8" shell dish, 3 gold shell feet, $8.50. Pair Bisque vases, 5", raised red cherries, $10. Small bust of blonde Lady Hamilton, Germany, $7.50. Small Bisque flower chariot, blonde girl and dove, $10. Graceful gold hand ring tree, a beauty, $7. Burr, McIntosh magazines, 1904, 3 for $1. Have lacy Dresden and white Haviland. Stamp please. **Marie Roenicke, 14322 Grand River, Detroit, Michigan.** oc

For Sale: 6 goblets, checkerboard, $5 each, see Millard's goblet book No. 2, plate 15. **Mrs. C. E. Taylor, Box 171, Cuba, Illinois.** oc

Apple green and gold covered sugar, $5. Tea Leaf platter, large, $3. Tea Leaf plate, large, $3. Goblets: $3 each, write what pattern you want. Rosette celery, $6. 4 amber Wildflower sauces on foot, $3 each. Sawtooth compote, open, large, $8. Set of 6 coffee cups and saucers, pretty $18. Coffee grinder $3. No reproductions. **Marie's Antique Shop, 435 N. Hull, Minden, Nebraska.** oc

Anton Hardt, 2245 N. Second Street, Harrisburg, Pennsylvania. Blue Spatter child's teapot, Peafowl, proof, write. 8 Flint Honeycomb honey dishes, each $1. Rare blue Slag vase, ht. 5", $7.50. 45-piece set Ironstone china, Wheat pattern, write. Copper lustre pitcher, ht. 3¼", yellow decorated band, $14. Baltimore Pear covered butter, $7.50. Occupational Shaving Mugs, write. Majolica, Cut glass, Haviland Limoges, colored glass. Write for list. Refunds if articles unsatisfactory. oc

Pair 9" Satin glass bottles, blown stoppers, bulbous, hand painted, one blue, one pink flowers, $18. Child's tea set, 20 pieces, Japan, very nice, $10. Majolica teapot, creamer, covered sugar, six-cup size, raised flowers, brilliantly colored, $25. Pair blown End-of-day vases, 8", rose and yellow, $15. Wedgwood platter, 20 x 15½", Louise pattern, also base for large tureen, 14¾ x 10½", both for $25. 40-piece tea set for eight, number on bottom, very fine, pink and blue flowers, teapot mended, very good, raised scroll on teapot, creamer, sugar and large plates, $65. Frosted Lion covered dish, oblong, 5 x 8", $20. **Warren's, Shop, 11726 Saginaw Rd., Grand Blanc, Mich.** oc

Fanora Voight, 528 E. Guenther Street, San Antonio, Texas. White Ransom Haviland: gravy with tray, $6.50; 12 — 8½" plates, $2 each; covered butter with inside drain, $6.50; platters and other pieces. Much white china, Blue Willow and Tea Leaf. Write. Stamp. Lists. oc

Cannon Ball footed sauce, $2.25. Button Band pitcher, 9" tall, K-3, 168, $4.50. Etched Fern and Waffle cake stand, K-1, 89, $7. Eyebrows: creamer, spooner, K-5, 12, set $8.50. Peacock Feather cruet, stopper not original, $3.75. Blue Crockery Wall salt box, walnut lid, $4.50. Express collect. **Erma Hawbecker, Antiques, 1940 N. Broadway, Wichita, Kansas.** oc

Tea Leaf, gold lustre, Powell & Bishop, 100 piece dinner set, original not assembled, excellent condition: 12 cups and saucers; 12 dinner plates; 12 breakfast plates; 12 dessert plates, 12 sauces, 12 butter pats, 6 tureens, 2 meat platters, cake plate, gravy boat and tray; teapot, water pitcher, sugar and creamer, a beautiful set, $350. If you should try to assemble this set it would cost $400. **Gray House, 384 N. Lincoln St., Wilmington, Ohio.** oc

Cosmos Milk glass covered sugar, $10. Milk glass rabbit, picket base, $7.50. Majolica water lily teapot, turquoise blue, lovely $7. Thin opalescent Swirl tumbler, $1.75. Black hair china flat top doll head No. 6. Curls turn up around face, $22.50. 8½" blue Three-Panel bowl on low standard, $6.50. Daisy pattern covered butter, $3.50. Pink lustre flat 5½" slipper, Gold stand-up bow, $5. Kings Crown little covered jelly compote, 4¾", two points rough, $10. P.P. for small items. **The Stockton's, RR. 1, Box 303D, Bridgeport, Indiana.** oc

Inverted Thumbprint clear goblet, $2. Beaded Grape square bowl, 8½ x 2½", deep, $5.25. Inverted Fern egg cup, $4.50. Lacy Sandwich Roman Rosette sauces, $3 each. Cardinal bird goblet, $3. Moon & Star compote, 6¼" diameter, 6½" high, $7.50. Limoges plates, gold border, 9—7⅞" and 12—6¼", lot $20. Cactus Caramel Slag cracker jar, 8" high, $9.50. Hinged boxes on brass standard, 5" diameter, 4½" high, one blue, $8.50; one white, $7.50. Enamel Decoration "Knives and Forks" lime green 8½" plates, $3; sherberts, $2.50; Millard's plate 158. Sufficient postage must be included if sent parcel post. Two large shops of glass, china, furniture, and general antiques, write your wants. **Ethel Loring, R.F.D. No. 1, Framingham, Mass.** oc

Royal Doulton figurine, "Day Dreams", $35. Light blue Wedgwood plaque, Geo. Washington, $50. Blue and white candy stripe overlay basket clear applied handle, $30. Pomona water pitcher, applied rope collar and handle, lovely, $40. Light apple green Mary Gregory tumbler, figure of boy, $7.50. Black Hills gold earrings, (pierced ears), matching ring, 3 pieces, $20. Blue enamelled lapel watch, running, gold Fleur-de-lys pin, complete, $40. Coral rose earrings, (unpierced ears), $10. Burmese toothpick holder, lovely for cigarettes on coffee table, $15. 2 signed Tiffany stemmed wines, each $10. 10-row Frosted Hobnail tumbler, amber rim, $12.50. Hand painted violets, porcelain brooch, $5. **Sleek & Find Antique Shop, 522 — 4th Street, Council Bluffs, Iowa.** oc

Lovely and rare hand painted Bon-Bon dish, round, dated 1897, a beautiful girl on lid, small, mended rim chips, no harm, $20. Also general line. **The Cozy Antique Shop, Mrs. Eldon Crawford, 611 Greenlawn Ave., Fort Wayne, Indiana.** oc

9" cranberry and opalescent Swirl overlay bulbous ruffle edge pitcher, $25. Pair 10½" sapphire blue ruffled edge Bristol vases, $37.50. Peachblow overlay 12" vase, applied flowers, perfect, a beauty, $50. Pitcher, 6 tumblers, sapphire blue opalescent edge, a lover, scroll design, $37.50. Pair very old miniature Milk glass lamps. Amethyst 7½" vase, ruffled edge, enamel flowers, $8.50. Tobacco jar, 7" high, 5" diameter, Indian portrait "Sevres", $12.50. Jasper Ware tobacco jar, 4½" high, 4" diameter, raised white Indian head, etc., $12. Wedgwood placque, 9 x 5", gray background, white raised figure, woman and child dancing, beautiful, $35. Pair apple green Daisy & Button boats, $12.50 each. **Adams Antiques, 2 S. E. 34th St., Oklahoma City, Okla.** oc

(1). Pewter pt. champagne bottle, labeled "Cigars", top unscrews for matches, middle unscrews for cigars, $6. (2). 2 quart size clear pressed glass pitchers, pewter bands at top, $8 each. (3). Pair old pewter swan head hanging wall pockets, $30. (4). Copeland Spode covered vegetable tureen, acorn and leaf design in green and brown, pretty shape. (5). 6 French china hand painted plates, 7¼", blue and white, different seashells in center, $16 set. (6). Clear glass candy jar, Jellycon on front, $4. Stamp for reply. **Plantation Shop, Mumford, Texas.** oc

Cakestands: Panelled Daisy, worn mold, $4.50; Peacock Feather, $3.75. Footed sauces: Cupid & Venus, $1.75; Fishscale, $1.25; Teardrop & Tassel, flat, $1.25. Creamers: Cottage, $2.50; Wildflower, $3.50; Cameo, $3. Alphabet plates: Children and flowers in pastel colors, each (2) plate different pose, $5 each; another, Peacock and terrace scene, very colorful, $7.50. **Mrs. George H. Myers, 5280 Main Street, Williamsville, New York.** oc

Staffordshire group figurine, 11" perfect condition; Robin Hood & Little John, pink lustre deer, tree trunk, etc., turquoise, pink with pink lustre trim, $37.50. Staffordshire trinket box, 3", cat on lid, $8. 8 fruit plates, 7½" pastel borders, no marking $24. 11" Meissen bowl, white porcelain with all over design of raised gold leaves, $45. Ironstone, Moss Rose; 6 dinner plates, 6 saucers, 1 cup and saucer, sugar bowl, creamer 1" age crack and teapot imperfect, $35 the lot. King's Crown cake stand, $7.50. Epergne cranberry crackle glass, 2 part, set in white metal or pewter, perfect condition, $40. 11" Frosted white Bristol footed vases, birds nest and birds on side, scalloped top, $22.50. **Ruth Cain, 10 Pike Street, Weston, West Virginia.** oc

Bull's Eye and Diamond Point flat covered compote, 8" wide, 7¾" high, $10.50. Small blue Gypsy cane kettle, $3.50. Amber Three-Panel bowl, footed, 7½" wide, 4" high, $4.50. 2 Westward Ho sauce dishes, 4", 1 nick, 2 for $8. Vaseline cane canoe, $3.50. Majolica yellow and green corn pitcher, 4½", $3.50. Calendar plate, 1910, center portrait of girl, border of fruit and flowers, $3. **The Trail Shop, R. R. 1, Dragoon Trail, Mishawaka, Ind.** oc

Last Supper bread tray, Lee 133, $7.50. Bisque pitcher, woman's head in relief, tan color, height 8", $5. 6" Bennington spitoon, $5. Brass and copper 8" chafing dish, burner top missing, $10. Demi-tasse St. Louis exposition, gold decorated, fluted saucer, $6. Old tin grease lamp, $3.50. Rosette spooner Lee 106, $3. Emigma glass mug, $2.50. Carmel slag mug, wheat design, $4. Buttermilk goblets, Stedman, beaded circle, loop patterns, $3.50 each. Milk glass hen on basket, mustard jar, $4. Large mustache cup, gold trim, small rim chip, $3. 5 assorted Sandwich cup plates, small rim chips, lot $6.50. Moon and Star low 9" compote, $8.50. Small red Satin glass lamp base, $6.50. 15 assorted pattern glass wines, all listed, $18.75. Good Luck Horseshoe trivet, $2. Blue Daisy & Button canoe shaped pickle dish, a beauty, $9.50. Wood coffee mill, pewter top, $5.50. No C.O.D.'s. Write wants. **George G. Dickey, 5105—45th Street, N.W., Washington, D. C.** oc

Goblets, many kinds, some 6 of a kind and some more: Horseshoe; Festoon; Panelled Daisy and other patterns. Lustre pitchers. Write your wants. No reproductions. **Mrs. E. C. Foltz, 115 W. Orange Street, Lititz, Penna.** jr49

11½" cranberry Spanish Lace pitcher, $15. Emerald Beaded Grape open compote on standard, $12. Emerald Beaded Grape oblong dish, one bead missing, $7. 10" octagonal Davenport bowl, mulberry, Cypress pattern, $10. Other pieces, same pattern. Trivet collectors write wants. **Mrs. Arthur S. Davis, 539 Normal, Springfield, Missouri.** oc

No handle iron trivets, $1 each; round with legs, $1.50. Pattern glass spooners, $1.50; Open sugars, $2. Lion covered compote, large frosted head on cover, $10. Lion covered compote, small reclining lion on cover, $8. Beautiful early Flint Fern tall open compote, $10. Railroad bread tray, $10. Currier & Ives water tray, $8. **Mrs. Alice D. Millar, Maple View, New York.** oc

For Sale: Gone-with-the-wind lamps. Hanging lamps. Pattern glass. Fine China. Write wants. List for stamp. Marie's Antique Shop, 435 N. Hull, Minden, Neb. nv48

Glassware: Moon and Star: List wants. Stamp. Forrest Sowers, Doylestown, Penna. ap49

Majolica and Glass in Wanted patterns. Please specify wants. Cobweb Shop, 117 E. Lafayette Street, West Chester, Penna. nv

Lacy Sandwich cup plates. Stamp for list. Wanted rare cup plates and lacy Sandwich salt dishes. **C. C. Ewing, Timonium, Maryland.** oc

Lids, bases, pattern glass, china, lamps, etc. Write wants. **Antique Shop, Moselle, Missouri.** nv

1000 Eye sold and bought. Reasonably priced. **Jane Haase, Elmira, New York.** fb

Pattern glass from private collection, over 1000 pieces. Write wants. Stamp please. Wanted to buy—Cosmos milk glass lamp shade — Westward-Ho cover, 6¾ x 4¼. **L. Morrison, 414 W. Rudisill, Fort Wayne 6, Indiana.** nv

Stoppers in glass or crystal sold as is, or fitted to any bottle, inquiries invited. **Harry Kaplan, The European Galleries, 619 Royal Street, New Orleans, Louisiana.** nv

★ CLOCKS, JEWELRY

Grandfather's Clock, broken arch, moon dial, solid walnut — heavy brass works; dial marked "Lancaster", perfect running condition. Photos 5¢, price $600. **F. B. Priest, Muncy, Penna.** oc

Carved two-bird Cuckoo clock. Moon & Star goblets. **Kiracofe, 424 West Washington Street, Hagerstown, Maryland.** oc

Earrings made from old buttons, gold or silver color, $1.50 pair including tax and postage. The Putter Shop, 30 Greenwich Ave., New York 11, New York. oc

Cuckoo clocks bought, sold and repaired. Cuckoo and fireside bellows releathered. **Kiracofe, 424 W. Washington Street, Hagerstown, Maryland.** nv

★ DOLLS, TOYS

Antique dolls. Mrs. Mary Hoover, 1268 Van Buren, Topeka, Kansas. mr

Look: Assortments of 200 little Pearl buttons with shanks for little doll dresses, 97¢. Ass'ts. of 12 fancy embossed lacy valentines made in Germany, $1.85. Assts. of 25 paperweights German Swirl marbles, $1.18. Assts. of 100 old time mint adv—picture cards, book marks and embossed scrap, pictures, flowers, butterflies and etc., $1.85. Asst. Kis Me paper dolls, sets of 4 78¢. **Art Antique Storage Co., 109 S. 6th St., Louisville, Kentucky.** oc

Anna Plummer, 114 Frederick Street, Hanover, Penna. Charming doll, black hair, blue eyes, leather arms, tapering waist, $15. oc

Doll Follos: One showing 21 antique dolls in old costumes; another showing 12 busts, front and back hair-dos, $1.25 each. **Sarah Iduma Ellis, 5400 N. Sixth Avenue, Des Moines, Iowa.** oc

Dolls bought, sold, traded. List for stamp. **Mrs. Robert Winchell, Eastwood & O Covert, Evansville, Indiana.** mr

★ FURNITURE

Small walnut Wm. Mary highboy, circa 1680-1709, ready to use. Send for photo, price. **Noreross-Johnson, 28 Elizabeth St., Pemberton, New Jersey.** oc

Cherry Spinning Wheel needs slight repairs, $15. Flax winding wheel, $15. Soft wood Penna. Dry sink, $16. Softwood Dutch cupboard, $35. Mother's rocker, $6. Includes crating. Express collect. **Samuel MacFalls, 501 Grant Avenue, Altoona, Penna.** oc

The Hobby Shop, Hazel H. Harpending, DeWitt, New York. 4 Curly maple fiddle-back chairs, $50. Mahogany Empire cabinet, acanthus carved pilasters, claw feet, $150. Curly maple day bed with special inner springs mattress, $50. Pine dressing or serving table, $65. Pine butler's desk, $90. Pine one-drawer blanket chest, $60. Rock maple 6-legged table, $190. Set 6 spindle back plank seat chairs, $90. Chest of drawers, curly maple drawer fronts, $90. Small schoolmaster's desk, cupboard above, $65. Pieces refinished or useable and prices cover crating. Illustrated list of all above pieces, 10¢. oc

Rosewood melodeon, good condition, $60. Fruit carved tete, good structural condition, $60. 6—2-slat chairs, good cane seats, $35. 4 chairs, side arms, need caning, $24. 5 shelf corner what-not softwood, $12. Lincoln rocker, upholstered, top good, $38. Child's Boston rocker, $12. China chocolate pot, 6 cups and saucers, $13.50. Odd chocolate pots, $5. Pair embroidered pillow shams, $4.50. Blue Spanish lace barber bottle, $8. 91 pieces Haviland Limoges china, $95. Lovely tapestry, 4 x 7, $15. Silver caster, $12. **Olmsteds Antique Shop, Wolcott, New York.** oc

2 piece Walnut corner cupboard, refinished, glass doors. Hepplewhite 5-drawer chest, refinished. Pine corner cupboard, glass door, refinished. 2-drawer cherry sewing table, refinished. 2 Rayo lamps, brassed, electrified. Glass, china, etc. **Paul E. Ogle, Union Bridge, Maryland.** oc

Fine old Swedish Dowery chest, dated 1839, nice ironwork, $39.50. **Guy Saulsbury, Spicer, Minnesota.** oc

Spinning wheel from Sweden, $18.50. **Guy Saulsbury, Spicer, Minnesota.** oc

Chairs: Ladies and Gents; finger roll carved in pairs, cane seated, set of Rush bottom, (rough). Fruit carved settee, cherry, walnut and Maple chests. Stamp for reply. **Mildred C. Luss, Springville, New York.** oc

Corner—wall cupboards. Farm bells. McGuffey Readers. Patrick's Antiques, Marion, Ohio. oc

Rosewood Melodeon, playing condition, slight adjustments, spinet style, $75. **Kurtz, 715 Central Ave., Far Rockaway, New York.** fb

Chas. Dangler, R. R. 1, Greenville, Ohio. Chests, corner cupboards, wall cupboards, 4 and 6-leg tables, stands, refinished and in the rough; have photos of many. Write for prices and full description. nv

★ HOMESPUN, QUILTS, COVERLETS

100% Wool Swatches for hooking. 5 shades of any one color for flowers, leaves, etc. Generous size swatches 30¢, 4 for $1. Woolcraft Shop, West Newbury, Mass. dc

Rug Woolens: hooking, braiding. New mill remnants 65¢ pound postpaid 5 pounds or over. Satisfaction guaranteed. State type, color preferences. **Woolcraft Shop, Pleasant St., W. Newbury, Mass.** oc

Multishear machine for slitting woolen materials for rug making. Reba Nelson, Route 9, Box 690, Zone 22, Milwaukie, Oregon. dc

Original welcome rugs, made of yarns or woolen materials. Collector's Studio, 1532 N. E. 56th Avenue, Portland 13, Oregon. dc

★ LAMPS, JUGS, BOTTLES

Wall bracket holders, for old bracket lamps, made from old molds, $1 each or $5 per dozen. **Olesens Antiques, 45 Hudson Street, Freehold, New Jersey.** oc

Miniature chimneys No. 00 3½" tall, plain tops, 6 for $1; crimped tops, 6 for $1.50; extra tall, 4½", 6 for $2.00, crimped tops. No. OO brass burners, 25¢ each. **Eleanor Schaum, 4458 Anderson Avenue, St. Louis 15, Missouri.** oc

Ball shade lamps: hanging lamps; angle lamps; bracket lamps; Rayo; large stock, list free. **Guy Saulsbury, Spicer, Minn.** oc

Pretentious banquet lamp, pewter footed scroll base, marble column, heavily embossed brass font, pink and green ball shade, 30" overall, perfect $25. Also pair of lacy iron shelf brackets, 6 x 7½", $3.75. Lacy iron match safe, $4. Iron muffin pan, corn design, $3.50. Express collect. **Connecticut Antiques, Pomfret Centre, Conn.** oc

★ PICTURES, PRINTS, & BOOKS

Your offer please: "G. Washington" (black and white) by Currier & Ives, 18 x 13½". "To the Memory of", (colored) by N. Currier, 9 x 13". **Horace Baughman, Route 2, Littlestown, Penna.** oc

Reckless Ralph's Dime Novel Roundup, the only magazine of its kind in America today, devoted to collecting, preservation and literature of the old time dime and nickel novels, libraries and popular story papers of the days gone by. Price 20¢ per copy or $2 per year. **Ralph Cummings, Dept. S. W., Fisherville, Massachusetts.** oc

Letters, any lots before 1880, Family or Business, with or without covers. **Alvin Lohr, Box 724, Hagerstown, Maryland.** sp49

Currier & Ives: "Midnight Race on Mississippi" framed, $35. James K. Polk, $12.50, N. Currier. **Mary Ball Shop, Raven, Va.** oc

Old Silhouettes: Early American, European: old family collection. Prices, description sent. Open 12 noon to 9 P.M. **Frederic J. Kurtz, R. 4, Gettysburg, Penna.** mr

Stereoscope and fifty views, $3.85. **Guy Saulsbury, Spicer, Minnesota.** oc

Correspondence invited on old trade and greeting cards, valentines, bookmarks, floral and fashion prints and other small items. **Tollcourt, Roxbury, Connecticut.** dc

National, Local Charity, Fund and Foreign Seals, Tasco Albums, Approvals sent on request. Write for price list. **Howard M. Weaver, Waynesboro, Penna.** sp49

Miniature portraits on porcelain or ivory. Give detailed description, size and price. Alice B. Mitchell, 3115 S. Peninsula Drive, Daytona Beach, Florida. jr49

Our list of Miscellaneous out of print books is now ready. Lists sent upon request. Stockade Antique Exchange, Funkstown, Maryland. ap

★ MISCELLANEOUS

Restoring of Art Objects, Figurines, etc. Porcelain or china, send for free estimate. **Odd Shop, Angola, Indiana.** mr

For Sale: Dolls, bisque, china and pattern glass. **Tanner's Antiques, 1904 Clay Avenue, Houston 3, Texas.** nv

Antique sofa, haircloth and wood in perfect condition. Berlin figurine of lady, mark of royalty on bottom; figurine of Geo. Washington, Dresden. 8" high. Pair of bisque candlesticks, Victorian lady and gentleman holding up standard. Drop leaf table. **Marjorie S. Owens, Maybury St., Northville, Michigan.** oc

Small early love seat, perfectly restored, $175. 20 piece early Ridgway china, signed, beautiful and authentic, collector's item. Johnson's onion; pattern glass; small chests; matched chairs; corner cupboard. What interests you? **Portia Pong, Playhaven Farms, Saginaw County, Burt, Michigan.** oc

Large beautiful paisley shawl, black center. Large all over paisley shawl, fringed. Large black silk shawl, 10", heavy fringe. Ladies beautiful antique gold watch. All in good condition. Make offer. **Belle Hornbrook, 301 S. Hall, Princeton, Indiana.** oc

Dillenborgers Antiques, R. D. No. 2, Lancaster, Penna., 3 miles west of square on U.S. 30. Furniture, lamps, prints, pattern glass, cut glass, Bristol vases, Lusters, china, Staffordshire boxes, Copper Luster. No reproductions. Write wants. fb

Rose Medallion teapot, 4 cups, saucers and dessert plates, octagon shape, $45. Imari vases, 8½" high, bulbous, very gracious, rippled tops, pair $15. Pink Overlay dish with hand painted sprays of blue and white flowers, fluted edge in silver bracket, applied cherries, 12" across, 14" high, $35. Pink overlay dish, accordian pleated edge, in silver bracket, very gracious, $25. 3-piece Girandole set, center one has marble cracked through center base, no harm, $125. Pair of embossed brass Rayo lamps, wired and beautifully polished with yellow shades, $35. Brass and copper chafing dishes complete, beautifully polished, $15; another copper and brass, beaded edge, unusual, $18. 5-bottle caster set, resilvered, perfect condition, $25. Resilvered Pourer, porcelain lined, $35. Express collect. **Regina Antiques Shop, 51 Washington St., Brighton, Mass.** oc

Fine old divided mirror, mahogany frame, all original, size 42 x 22, price $20. Milk glass hand compote, ribbed base, 8¼" high, 9¼" diameter, $13.50. 2 Dewdrop & Star footed sauces, 4¾" diameter, $2.75 each. Round Honey amber Daisy & Button bowl V ornament, 9½" diameter, $9. Canary Wildflower sugar cover, $2. Lovely white silk crepe shawl, long knotted fringe, perfect condition, $5. 6 Handpainted sauces, coin gold and pink roses, 6" diameter, France, $1.75 each. Apple green tall Wildflower celery, $9.50. Star Rosetted plate, Lee plate 151, $6. Express collect. **Mrs. Chester Lyman, 309 So. Wilbur Avenue, Sayre, Penna.** oc

Walnut frames, $2 to $3. Walnut platform rockers, $12 to $18. Hanging lamps $8 to $25. Floral china cups and saucers, large and chocolate size, $2; Set of six, $14. 4-bottle caster, good silver, $7. 3 bottle caster, $5. **Clarence Wright, Route 2, Oswego, New York.** oc

For Sale: General line of antiques: china, glass, pictures. **Anne Teak's Attic, 503 S. Potomac Ave., Waynesboro, Penna.** No Sign. oc

Pair 11½" Bristol vases, lovely flowers, butterfly, $25. Pair 11", unusual flowers, $23. White china bolted compote, 8¾" high, $14, openwork bowl. Pair glass toilet bottles, original stoppers, 7" to top stopper, $9. Red glass 6" plate, plain, $1.50. Four assorted tea-cups, saucers, $7.50. Four assorted Demi's, $7.50. Three assorted small china creamers, $4.50. Above sold in lots only. Parian 13" figure on oval base, make beautiful lamp, 13" high, $12. Many other pieces Parian. Oval Staffordshire box, angels on cover, $9. Staffordshire matchholder, 3" high, dog holds rabbit, $9. Three china butter pats, gray blue flowers, $1.25 Pair Chinese heavily embossed large brass fingerbowls, $1.50. Colored French fashion prints, 50¢ and 75¢ each. National Geographic, odd numbers, 1926-'29, 10¢ each. Fortune magazine, odd numbers, 1932, '33, '39, 25¢ each. Please, please note; send insd. P. P. small articles, others, express collect. No C.O.D. **Gertrude B. Cushing, 153 Prichard Street, Fitchburg, Mass.** oc

Gertrude I. Stahl, 327 West Street, Lansing 15, Michigan. Beautiful apple green 1000 Eye lamp, $25. 11½", (handle to handle), amber Cupid and Psyche plate, unusual and lovely, $8. Pink satin Diamond Quilt cracker jar, matching lid, $20. Large brass Acorn Student lamp, burnished, green and white overlay half shade, this is the oldest type, $60. Adorable white gone-with-the-wind lamp, spider web and flower, approx. 23½" tall, burnished and electrified, $25. Lots of brass Rayo lamps, stripped, burnished and electrified, complete with chimneys and shades, $18 each. Unusually beautiful handpainted chamber set, consists of 2 size pitchers, wash bowl, covered chamber, covered soap dish, shaving mug and toothbrush holder, beautiful blue and rich cream hand painted and enamel flowers, lots of gold, set $16. Many beautiful brass and copper items, teakettles, teapots, trays, etc., write. Lots of iron gadgets, match safes, small irons, animals, etc. Three beautiful cranberry pickle casters in newly silvered frames, $18 each. oc

Onion pattern tea strainer, $5. Nickle musical alarm clock, $20. 10" blue Finecut plate, $8.50. Six-footed Panelled Thistle salts, $2.50 each. 10" rose pink overlay fruit bowl, enamel decoration, $13. Camphor silver top syrup pitcher, $6. **Ida L. Kunz, 165 Avalon, Saginaw, Michigan.** oc

For Sale: Antique Shop established 2 years on U. S. Highway. Small attractive building. For details write Red House Antiques, Box 43, Mill City, Penna. oc

Delft tile, 4¾ x 3½", blue and white Windmill scene, marked Delft, in frame, $9.75. Ribbon celery vase, clear, $3.25. Cottage goblet, $2.50. Feather: covered butter, $3.50; Pickle dish, $2.25; spooner, $2; sugar base, $1.75. Fishscale cake stand, $3.75. Heavy Bisque boy, 12" high, high hat, holds gold cane, gold and blue flower trim on trousers, etc., perfect, $18. Large Ironstone coffee pot, $4. Pair Milk glass dresser trays, $3.25. Limoges hand painted chocolate pot, pastel shades of green with roses, gold scrolled handles, $9.50. 1910 Calendar plate, Cupids, $2.25. Large covered cheese dish, Limoges France, lots of gold scrolling on pastel peach and white background, $9.50. Refinished Chippendale soft wood blanket chest, 2 drawers below, extra large size dovetailed, old hinges, mellow natural finish, crated, $75. Refinished solid cherry chest of drawers, 4 graduated drawers, spool-turned posts, turned feet, reproduction brass knobs, crated, $89. All items perfect and authentic. Write wants in furniture, glass, and china for resale. **Robert K. Smith, 405 Mifflin Street, Huntingdon, Penna.** oc

2 Gone-with-the-wind lamps, umbrella shades, one pink, one blue decorations, each $22.50, electrified. Hanging lamp, scenic decoration, matched shade and bowl, prisms, $32. 3 mustache cups, attractive, matching saucers, $3 each. Unusually fine old German pipe, 30" long, deer decoration on bowl, $12.50. Stereoscope with 12 views, $3. Quaint old time sugar grinder, $5. 2 brass cowbells, $3 each. **Lund's, 530 Julian, Waukegan, Illinois.** oc

6 leg cherry table, refinished. Rosewood Melodeon, Cabriole legs. Milk glass. 12 Limoges plates, Elite pattern, $5.50 each. 6 bouillon cups and saucers, different colors, extra fine gold, $35. Pair walnut Fireside stools, $50. 2 resilvered casters, $15 each. **Shady Acres Antique Shop, Constantia, New York.** oc

Curly maple slant top desk, original finish and brasses, small size and in usable condition, write. Bennington covered pitcher, 9 x 6, rare, $72.50. Barley water pitcher, $5.50. Blue Bristol vases, 11½" tall, perfect, $65. Currier & Ives "The Old Homestead", 14 x 18, $22.50. Moon & Star covered butter, $12.50. Copper Lustre pitcher, 6½" tall, green bands, $35. Pine Lazy Susan table, refinished, $100. Deer & Pine plate, blue, 13 x 8, $10. Sawtooth creamer, $5.50. Sawtooth spooner, $4.50. Signed plate "Death of King Lear", 11", $11. **Fannie Ruth Antique Shop, 110 W. Front Street, Vance Hotel Bldg., Statesville, North Carolina.** oc

20 pieces blue English Stoke with W dishes, blue rose border, Castle center, $30. 2 Sandwich shades 8", one blue, one cranberry, scalloped top, $6 each. 5" Pewter candlesticks, pair $5. Beautiful black lace Mantilla, small mend, $12. Old Banjo clock, no name, perfect condition, strikes hour and half, 35" high, picture constitution, eagle top, $75. **Louise Foster, Pocasset, Cape Cod, Mass.** oc

Edith M. Blair, 1500 Langdon St., Alton, Ill. Beautiful 8-piece wash stand set, English china, heavy dark blue and gold, made with 5 bakings, perfect, finest have ever had. Apothecary jar, clear glass, three raised bands, blue glass, blue knob, height 13", diameter 5", slight no-count nick, $16. Apothecary jar, clear glass, 21", $19. Large Bisque elephant, with boy and pitcher, bringing water, fine piece, $45. Several pieces Bisque. Pink Sunderland lustre plate, 9", center black and white picture, Aunt Betsy and Donkey from David Copperfield, $15. Doll head, heavy black hair, very old, 5½". 2 Hitchcock chairs, newly reeded, painted black, each $22, not alike, very fine. Every piece perfect. oc

Pair lovely 12" footed bulbous covered drug store jars, $18. Peacock Feather lamp, $3.85. 8 x 5 pointed Hobnail pickle, $1.50. Milk glass smoke bell, $1.50. Carnival glass: blue 10" plate, blue bowl, rose footed compote, raised floral patterns, Tiffany effect, each 75¢. Old 10" Bristol camphor plate, flowers worn, $2. Sauces: Cord & Tassel, $1; Panelled Daisy, edge rough, 75¢. Large wood scoop, $1.25. Tin candle molds, $1.65. Iron shoe doorstop, $1.85. 25 Stereoptican views, big game series, colored, $1; have other series. **Edna Krause, Dell Rapids, South Dakota.** oc

Antique and Gift Shop, 139 W. King St., Littlestown, Penna. Furniture, refinished and rough. China, glass, lamps, coverlets, picture frames. General line antiques. oc

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Wanted: Dedham crackle pottery tea cups, Rabbit pattern preferred. **Mrs. John Stillman, 55 East 76th Street, New York 21, New York.** dc

Wanted: Historical china in all pieces, canary yellow china mugs, glass cup plates. **Richard H. Wood, 320 W. Biddle St., Baltimore 1, Maryland.** dc

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Wanted: Eye-winker glass, proof specimens including plates. **Mildred Keith, 6108 S. E. 36th, Portland 2, Oregon.** oc

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Wanted: Authentic clear and colored Wildflower and Diamond Quilted. Must be proof and priced for resale. **Trail's End Antiques, Box 66, Enfield, Ill.** oc

Occupational shaving mugs wanted by collector. Mugs must have picture of occupation, trade, or sport. Mugs must have owner's name. I pay fair market price; $10 is ceiling. **Anselm Frankel, Box 6, Greenfield, Massachusetts.** ap49

Wanted: China cup plates. I buy and sell them. Paul Savi, Walpole, New Hampshire. dc

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Emerald green Herringbone: goblets, water tumblers, cordials, plates 7¼ and 9¼. C. M. Moeser, Queenstown, Maryland. dc

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Dishes "Ridgeways" Humphrey clock pattern, mulberry and cream. **Ida Lee, 211 E. 15 Street, New York 3, New York.** nv

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Wanted: Amberina salad plates, preferably Diamond Quilted. Must be proof, good color. **Vera Warner, Route 1, Box 97, Vancouver, Washington.** nv

Wanted: Rubina Verde, Amberina: Authentic, choice specimens only with gradual fine color blending. Cranberry Diamond Quilted plates. Maine Panelled Flower Stippled, mugs, wines, tumblers, and goblets. Amber Currier & Ives. Colored tablecloths showing spinning wheels in borders or center. Wood's Ware cups in "Old Bow Kakiyemon" pattern, (not old). **Carolyn Fish, 1925 C Street, Vancouver, Washington.** nv

★ CLOCKS, JEWELRY

Wanted: Garnet Jewelry, opal jewelry, solid gold and gold filled jewelry, anything. Write. **Rose Janse, 336 Dudley Rd., Newton Centre, Mass.** mr

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Old Toy trains, toys made before 1925. **Dr. Kowal, 1846 Cullerton, Chicago 8, Illinois.** dc

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Wanted: Modern revolvers, Colts and Smith and Wessons, what have you. Price and condition. **Kurtz, 715 Central Avenue, Far Rockaway, New York.** oc

Wanted: Muzzle loading (Kentucky) rifles made in Bedford Co., Penna. Characteristics: Hand made locks, long brass patch boxes ending in cut out round or oval finial with "hook". Makers: W. Border, D. Border, J. Stoudenour, W. Defibaugh, T. Oldham, and others. Also want flint and percussion pistols with curly maple stocks; any good pistols or percussion revolvers. Describe and price. Calvin Hetrick, New Enterprise, Penna. nv

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Wanted: Old cars, presto head lamps, kerosene side lamps, tail lamps. Bulb horns all brass. **Post Office Box 81, Willow Grove, Penna.** oc

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in rods of various lengths. Making nails from these rods frequently was a family or community affair. The nails were cut and forged by hand in a variety of sizes, from the large spikes used by shipbuilders, to the tiny brads used to fasten escutcheons on furniture. The shanks were square, and being made by hand, there rarely were two alike. The ends were either flat or pointed, depending upon their use. The nail heads also were of different sizes and shapes. Some had large round heads, others flattened or folded heads, while the small nails used for fastening H, HL, or butterfly hinges, had large circular heads. On these latter nails, the points were clinched and driven into the wood.

The first cut-nail machine was patented in this country in the latter part of the eighteenth century. The nails turned out by this machine were made of the same quality iron used in the hand-forged product, but they lacked the toughness of the hand-forged type. By the early 1800's most of the hand-forging method had been replaced by the automatic process. A piece of furniture put together with machine-made cut nails probably would not pre-date 1790, unless the hand-forged nails had been replaced in restoration by the machine-made kind.

Screws for fastening hinges came into use early in the eighteenth century. Prior to that time the hinges were fastened with small nails, often clinched on the exposed surface. This marred the beauty of the piece. The screws of that period obviously were hand-made. They were uneven and rough, the threads were course, and the slots at the top were frequently off-center and of uneven depth. They were cut off squarely at the lower ends and did not have the gimlet-point of the later screw. After 1750 screws were used more often where nails or wood pins formerly had been applied.

Many patents for screw-cutting machines were issued in the early nineteenth century. By 1820 wood screws were being turned out rapidly by the automatic machines. By 1850 the gimlet-point wood screw rapidly began to replace the earlier hand-forged, blunt-end screw, for the pointed screw had greater penetrative ability than the earlier type. The older, square-end screw became unsaleable and soon was almost obsolete.

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